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LONDON, JANUARY 21.

ON Friday laſt the Right Honourable Lord Sandwich, accompanied by the Lords of the Admiralty, went on board the Reſolution man of war at Deptford dock, to ſee an experiment made of a machine, which is fixed in the ſaid ſhip, for the purpoſe of making ſea-water freſh, and alſo for baking of biſket and dreſſing different kinds of proviſions many different ways, by means of but one ſmall fire; which anſwered to general ſatisfaction. Lord Sandwich, &c. eat part of a biſket that was baken while proviſions of different ſorts were dreſſed for the ſhip's crew. It is the invention of a gentleman of Chelſea.

We have authority to declare, that no alterations whatever are intended in the Miniſtry; all is unanimity at preſent in the Cabinet, and the only perſonage who, ſince Lord North's direction of the helm, was invited to a birth in the ſtate cabbin is the claſſical maſter of Hagley.

JANUARY 23. Neither Lord Temple nor Lord Lyttleton attended the Houſe of Peers on Tueſday; and as for Lord Chatham, he continues at Hayes, and does not propoſe to quit it this winter, unleſs ſomething very extraordinary ſhould make his preſence particularly neceſſary.

The political ferment, which lately raged in the Iriſh Houſe of Commons, has ſubſided greatly ſince the ſupplies were voted, and Lord Townſhend will probably ſtay two years longer in his preſent government.

JANUARY 24. Mr. Sawbridge gave notice on Wedneſday in the Houſe of Commons, that he intended to make a motion on the 25th of February next for ſhortening the duration of Parliament.

They write from the Hague of the 9th inſtant, that a loan of 5,000,000 of ducats had been juſt negotiated there for the ſervice of his Pruſſian Majeſty at a very high intereſt.

The Right Honourable the Paymaſter-General has appointed John Garnier, Eſq; to be Deputy Paymaſter to his Majeſty's forces in North-America.

Lately died at her apartments in the Old-Bailey, the celebrated Miſs Jane Monckley, who during a courſe of twenty years has been carefully collecting ſome of the greateſt curioſities this or any other kingdom can produce, for which ſhe travelled to almoſt all the known parts of the world; we hear that by her will ſhe has left them half to the Britiſh Muſeum, and the other half to the Royal Society.

JANUARY 25. A letter from Paris mentions, that many of the Corſicans taken priſoners in ſome late ſkirmiſhe, are incorporated with ſome French troops and ſent to St. Domingo.

Lord Camden's popularity is now at its laſt ſtake by the late publication of Junius; if he does not comply with the requeſt of that celebrated writer, the patriots will give him up; and if he does, he fruſtrates all his hopes of a reconciliation with the Court.

Lately died at Melroſe, in Scotland, in a very advanced age, Patrick Edmonſton, Eſq; late Lieutenant-Colonel in the ſervice of Great-Britain. He ſurvived all thoſe who were with him on the Darien expedition, in the year 1698.

JANUARY 28. The Board of Trade has reported in favour of a Government on the Miſſiſſippi; and we hear, as the advantages ariſing from the plan are incredibly extenſive, that the new eſtabliſhment will take place with all poſſible expedition.

The exportation of linen from Ireland to America has of late increaſed aſtoniſhingly, as we are informed by a gentleman of unqueſtionable weight in the legiſlature of that kingdom; formerly the exportation did not exceed 300,000 yards annually, whereas it now exceeds 3,000,000, and hourly grows upon the hands of the manufacturer.

JANUARY 29. Affidavits were tendered to ſome Juſtices in the Borough to verify the marvellous affair reported to have happened at Stockwell, but their oaths were refuſed.

FEBRUARY 3. On Friday the Lords of the Admiralty appointed Lieutenant Kempe, to the command of his Majeſty's ſloop Adventure at Woolwich.

Orders were on Friday ſent down to Chatham for the ſmall ſloops of war, which are now laid up there, to be rigged and fitted for immediate ſervice. The like orders are ſent to Sheerneſs.

Advices from Hanover mention, that all the abſent officers upon that eſtabliſhment are ordered to rejoin their regiments immediately, and that the body guard of that Electorate, which at preſent conſiſts of only 80 men, is to be increaſed directly to 120; and that a like augmentation is to take place in all their other troops.

The following is the moſt probable, as well as the moſt authentic account of the late diſturbances at Copenhagen:

"The King of Denmark is a moſt amiable Prince, and greatly beloved by his people. The alterations he has lately made in the commercial and political ſtate of the kingdom are generally underſtood to be very ſalutary, and for the advantage of his ſubjects. The Queen-Mother Juliana, and her party, are ſuppoſed to have looked upon theſe new eſtabliſhments as mere innovations. This great Lady has long viewed the Queen Conſort with a jealous eye, as a perſon who has entirely diminiſhed that power which ſhe formerly enjoyed, and yet pretends to. The Queen-Conſort, young, gay, affable, and obliging, gained all hearts by her aſſiduity to pleaſe. It is no wonder that ſuch a perſon ſhould give occaſion for cenſure to thoſe who were already diſpoſed to find fault. A ſlight indiſcretion will be aggravated into a crime by determined enemies. Thoſe who know the world will tell us that the greateſt revolutions have been brought about by ſo ſlight a matter as a ſmall deviation from the cuſtoms and manners of the country we live in. The Ladies of Denmark, unlike our countrywomen, when they ride, beſtride their horſes like men; but to preſerve the decorum of the ſex, they wear a petticoat over their drawers or breeches. Unhappily her Majeſty looked upon the petticoat as an incumbrance, and when ſhe hunted, dreſſed herſelf *en cavalier*. This was immediately taken notice of by her enemies as a great act of indecency. It happened to favour the Dowager's deſigns, that the Queen had a very particular friendſhip for the King's phyſician, a German, pretty far advanced in years, a man eminent in his profeſſion, and of an excellent underſtanding. The inſinuations reſpecting this intimacy (however improbable and ill-founded) were of the worſt kind. Here the conſpirators were determined to fix their mark. The Queen and phyſician were watched whenever they converſed. At laſt they took occaſion to ſurpriſe them at a maſquerade, where it is ſaid they danced together. The phyſician was ſeized juſt as he had got into his chair, and the Queen ſoon after arreſted. She expoſtulated with ſpirit upon the indecency of their behaviour, and inſiſted upon being brought before the King:----This they told her they would comply with.----Their confederates had by this time ſeized the King and confined him to his chamber; when the Queen was brought into his preſence, he had no power to protect her, ſo that immediate baniſhment to a remote part of the kingdom is ſuppoſed to be her doom.---- The King was ſoon after obliged to appear at a window of the palace, where they prompted him to tell that he was free, and to cry out, "Long live Queen Juliana!"---The unhappy Prince was obliged to ſubmit to this as well as other indignities."

FEBRUARY 4. Whatever colour may have been put upon the inſurrection now raiſed in Denmark, the true cauſe, it is more than probable, will at laſt be found to have been the ambition either of the Queen Dowager, ſupported by the machinations of a diſcarded Miniſter, or of a diſcontented Nobility, anxious to recover that deſpotic power which their anceſtors exerted over both the King and Commons in that country, till towards the latter end of the laſt century. The youth and inexperience of the preſent King, and an artful management of the native prejudices of the Danes, have afforded a very favourable opportunity for theſe deſigns; and it cannot but occur to the memory of every perſon, who has at all attended to the courſe of public intelligence, what pains have been taken to prepare the minds of foreigners for ſome ſingular event, by the many hints and anecdotes of the King and Queen of Denmark, inſerted in our own and in the foreign prints for more than a twelvemonth paſt, and which were of ſuch a nature, that they could never have been received as reports circulated among the inhabitants; nor, had they even been true, could have found their way into foreign countries, but to anſwer the views of treacherous and deſigning perſons.

FEBRUARY 5. The Utrecht Gazette of January 14, mentions, that the Queen of Denmark's pregnancy was announced the 28th of December laſt, at Copenhagen.

FEBRUARY 6. The politicians who ſeem beſt acquainted with the movements of the ſtate, now think a rupture with Denmark far from any improbable circumſtance, for two reaſons; for if the King, as it is reported, has applied for the aſſiſtance of Great-Britain to reinſtate him in his power, it will be neceſſary, in order to preſerve our faith with that Monarch, to ſend a fleet to the mouth of the Baltic; and if the Queen has been injuriouſly treated (as there is much reaſon to fear ſhe has been ſo for ſome time paſt) the honour of the nation is concerned in avenging the wrong done to ſo diſtinguiſhed a native of Great-Britain.

Extract of a letter from Copenhagen.

"Every conſiderate man, who remembers the two attrocious attempts of the Danish Dowager to cut off the Prince Royal in his father's life-time, and has traced with obſervant eye her minuteſt actions from that period, to her now ſo artfully having procured herſelf to be choſen Regent, at this very convenient criſis for her dark purpoſes, is fully convinced that the treacherous conſpiracy broke out here, has been long hatching and fomenting under her intriguing machinations; and the more eſpecially as the groſs improbabilities, in the baſe aſperſions thrown on the honour of the reigning Queen, clearly manifeſt them to be the ſubordinations of this ambitious ſtep-mother, apparently calculated to cover her treaſonable (perhaps fatal) deſigns, in favour of her own offspring."

A parliamentary attack will, we hear, be made on ſome of our Nabobs, and that very ſpeedily; a certain dignified adventurer to the Eaſt is, we are told, particularly marked out for an object of animadverſion; and, it is added, that a well-known Governor will make a capital figure on the occaſion.

The Queen Dowager of a certain nation made many attempts upon the life of the King, when he was but a boy, and once in particular had him puſhed from a bridge on which he ſtood into the ſea; but fortunately his Majeſty was preſerved, to defeat the ſucceſſion of the Crown to the line of her poſterity.

It is a juſt obſervation of a great writer, that there is but little diſtance between the priſons and the graves of Princes; and the King may be virtually thought a priſoner, however pompouſly treated in ceremonies, who is obliged to comply with every thing propoſed by his enemies.

Extract of a letter from Copenhagen, January 18.

"Notwithſtanding the revolution which happened here in the night between the 16th and 17th of this month, is no ſecret, through the many couriers that have been ſent from hence with this important news, yet the following circumſtances deſerve to be mentioned.

"It is not true, as has been reported, that Counts de St. Germain and Reverdil, conducted this affair; but the Queen Dowager Julia Maria, was at the head of it all. She brought over General Eichſtedt on her ſide, and having ſounded Count Rantzaw, and found him diſpoſed to act againſt Count Struenſee, who was his greateſt enemy, ſhe, by his means, prevailed on Colonel Koller, and the officers of his regiment, which was on duty that night, to join her party. The King was entirely ignorant of every thing that was paſſing; for his Majeſty went from the maſked ball, which was given at Court that evening, at twelve o'clock, where he had danced and played at quadrille with General Gahler, his lady, and Counſellor Struenſee. Prince Frederick, the King's brother, was preſent at the ball, but not much attention was paid to him, and he did not ſtay to ſup there. At four o'clock the next morning Prince Frederick got up and dreſſed himſelf, and went with Queen Julia Maria to the King's apartment, who was aſleep. They ordered the Valet de Chambre to awake the King, when they entered, and told his Majeſty, that the Queen and the two Struenſee's were buſy in drawing an act of renunciation, which they intended to force him to ſign. The Queen Dowager and Prince Frederick then told the King, that the only means he could purſue to prevent it, would be to ſign orders to arreſt the Queen and others [Nobles, Officers, &c.] which orders the Counſellors of State, M. Guldbergh, had made out ſome days before. The Queen Dowager informed the King, that if he would not ſign the orders, ſhe and her ſon would; and after ſome converſation the King ſigned them. In conſequence of which, Colonel Koller, and Captains Maleulle, Frank, and Eiben, went to arreſt Count Struenſee, and coming to his hotel, though the Colonel had not the King's orders with him, he told him his errand. Struenſee aſked him, if he knew who he was; Koller anſwered, he was once the Miniſter of the cabinet, but now his priſoner. Struenſee wanted to ſee the King's order, but Koller ſaid he would anſwer with his life that the King had ordered him to be arreſted. The Queen was informed of her diſgrace by a billet, immediately after the receipt of which, Count Rantzaw, accompanied by Lieutenants Bay, Paſh, and Oldenbourg, entered her apartment. The Queen was almoſt diſtracted at her ſituation; ſhe threatened Count Rantzaw that he ſhould looſe his head, and would have gone inſtantly to the King; but Lieutenant Bay was poſted at the door to prevent her. Count Rantzaw then told the officers that if the Queen was ſuffered to go to the King it would coſt them their lives. Her Majeſty finding that her threats ſignified nothing, ſhe ſaid that her conduct had always been conformable to her duty, but that of the officers had always been againſt it; (referring, as it is thought, to a deſign which was propoſed by Colonel Nunſen and other officers of the light troops laſt ſummer, to paſs an act of renunciation if ſhe would have agreed to it) Count Rantzaw put her into a carriage, and ſhe was conducted under an eſcorte of 30 dragoons to Cronenbourgh. Prince Frederick is regarded at preſent as Prime Miniſter, and the Queen Dowager holds the reins of government."

FEBRUARY 7. The Queen of Denmark is ſhut up in the Round Tower at Elſineur.

There is certainly intelligence arrived at St. James's, which ſets the conduct of the Queen of Denmark in ſuch a light, that calls for the aſſiſtance of a Britiſh fleet to vindicate, rather than the voice of the Britiſh nation to condemn her; the former, we are aſſured, will certainly be adopted by our Council for that purpoſe, unleſs proper reſtitution is made to this Royal innocent, by an immediate and public puniſhment inflicted on the authors and contrivers of this diabolical piece of buſineſs.

It is aſſerted, that orders have been ſent to the Daniſh admiral in the Mediterranean, to return with all convenient ſpeed with his ſquadron to Elſineur.

FEBRUARY 8. The petition of the Clergy, relative to ſubſcriptions to the thirty-nine articles, &c. was offered to be preſented on Thurſday to the Honourable Houſe of Commons, but an objection being made to the receiving it, debates enſued, which continued from between two and three o'clock in the afternoon till about eleven at night, when, on a diviſion, the numbers for receiving it were ſeventy-one, againſt it two hundred and ſeventeen.

His Majeſty paſſed the principal part of yeſterday at the Princeſs Dowager's, and had repeated interviews with his Royal mother, which grew more and more ſolemn upon every repetition, and plunged all the ſpectators into unſpeakable affliction. The Princeſs Dowager in her laſt interview with the King wrung his hand very hard, and in words to this effect, took her leave of him: "My dear ſon, you are the King of a great people, be, if "poſſible, the King of a happy one; ſtudy the real welfare of "your ſubjects, not the wiſhes of the factious; and may you "gain a brighter crown in Heaven, than that with which I ſe've "you here on earth." The King was ſhut up for ſeveral hours in his cloſet after the death of his Royal mother, and appeared ſomewhat tranquil about twelve o'clock at noon, in conſequence, it is imagined, of a copious effuſion of tears.

All the errors of the preſent reign, if popular report is to be credited, ſprung entirely from the influence of Carlton-houſe; that influence, if real, is now at an end; and we ſhall ſpeedily ſee if a Great Lady's death in the leaſt improves the operations of government.

FEBRUARY 10. Baron Dieden the Daniſh Ambaſſador, is now at Berlin, where he was lately married. It is ſuppoſed, that an apprehenſion for his perſonal ſafety in this kingdom, when the late tranſactions in Denmark ſhould be known here, and of which from the Confederates he had a previous intimation, cauſed his retreat to the Continent.

FEBRUARY 11. Yeſterday the Right Hon. the Houſe of Peers voted an Addreſs of Condolance to their Majeſties, to be preſented by the Lords with white ſtaves: As did the Hon. the Houſe of Commons on the ſame occaſion, to be preſented by ſuch Members as are of his Majeſty's moſt Honourable Privy-Council.

The King of Denmark, we hear, has ſent his Majeſty private advice, that he had no way to ſave the Queen's life but by conſenting to her impriſonment. The Daniſh Monarch has not obtained a ſafe channel for correſponding explicitly with England; and this, we hear, is the reaſon why no accounts are publiſhed in London by authority.

A rupture with the Danes many ſenſible people now imagine to be almoſt unavoidable; and as the Electorate of Hanover lies quite contiguous to ſome parts of Denmark, orders have been ſent, we are told, to the Hanoverian Commander in Chief, to march a powerful force towards thoſe vicinages, to act upon the very firſt emergency.

Nothing can ſet the affair of continental marriages with the Royal Family of England in ſo ſtrong a point of view, as the preſent unhappy ſituation of Denmark; we married his Majeſty's ſiſter to a King, and are now probably on the eve of a bloody war to revenge her injuries; whereas had ſhe married into a private family at home, we ſhould not only have avoided a rupture with our neighbours, but poſſeſſed the amiable Princeſs, for whoſe life we now tremble with the greateſt anxiety.

The Pruſſian forces are ſaid to be under marching orders, and the frequency of the reviews among the Imperial troops indicate together, that "ſomething is rotten in the ſtate of Denmark," and very near deſtroying the public tranquillity of Europe.

FEBRUARY 12. The late Princeſs Dowager of Wales hath left no will, for ſhe had nothing to bequeath, her charities keeping equal pace with her means of exerting them; much of which was ſo ſecretly diſpenſed, that it appears now, that no leſs than ſix thouſand pounds yearly were beſtowed to indigent families, who will now firſt diſcover the bounteous hand on which they were indebted. The only expence in which ſhe indulged herſelf was her Garden at Kew, which is enriched with a variety of rare and uſeful plants, and is juſtly conſidered as a real ornament to this country. The body of her late Royal Highneſs will not be opened and embalmed, by her own deſire.

Yeſterday a motion was made in the Houſe of Commons for an additional duty to be laid on Tea.

A few days ago the great cauſe that has been long depending between Lord and Lady Groſvenor was finally ſettled; his Lordſhip has agreed to allow her Ladyſhip 2200l. per annum, beſides a conſiderable ſum of money down on entering into the ſaid agreement.

We are informed that Lord and Lady Groſvenor propoſe in a very ſhort time to live together again, notwithſtanding the great animoſity that has ſo long ſubſiſted between the unfortunate pair.

FEBRUARY 13. Laſt Saturday proceedings at law were by agreement ſtopped between Lord and Lady Groſvenor; the 1100l. a year mentioned in the news papers to be granted as a ſeparate maintenance to her Ladyſhip, is the laſt, together with 1000l. in hand, to anſwer immediate diſburſements; and we hear that, *if poſſible*, every paper relative to the divorce will be taken from the file, to remove the judicial traces of ſo diſagreeable a tranſaction.

The Earl of Chatham, we hear, on receiving the news of a certain Lady's death, coldly replied, "Then Oppoſition is not only dead, but buried in this country."

Lord Bute, we are told, is greatly indiſpoſed at Luton-Hoo, and purpoſes to pay Italy a viſit in the middeſt part of the ſpring. Political clamour is now wholly at an end, and it is poſſible, nay likely, that when his Lordſhip quits the buſtle of this troubleſome world, that the public prints, which have been inceſſantly employed in wounding his peace, will contend with each other to diſcover virtues in his character.

Should the Queen Conſort of Denmark be even indulged with a trial, conſiderate people ſee no advantage whatever accruing to her Majeſty from that circumſtance; as her Judges will be compoſed entirely of her enemies, and muſt certainly ſign a warrant for their own death, unleſs they order her execution.

The marriage ſaid to be in agitation between Prince Frederick of Denmark and the King of Pruſſia's niece, a daughter of Sweden, furniſhes ſuch a clue to the political labyrinth, as will poſſibly ſoon lead the public out of their preſent maze of perplexities.

The Danes ſeem as if apprehenſive of a ſpeedy rupture, for they are diligently encreaſing their land forces, and fortifying Copenhagen on the ſea ſide with ſuch an additional force, as muſt make it a real ſervice of danger to bear down a ſquadron upon their capital.

It is remarkable that revolutions are moſt frequent in thoſe kingdoms where the government is moſt arbitrary, and that Ruſſia produced no leſs than three in leſs than half a century, notwithſtanding the abject ſlavery of the people.

FEBRUARY 14. The Earl Marſhal's order for the preſent general mourning is more ſtrict than any former one; for it ſays, it is expected that all his Majeſty ſubjects will put themſelves into *deep*, inſtead of *decent*, mourning, as was the term generally uſed on ſuch occaſions, even for crowned heads.

A Committee of the Livery waited on the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor on Tueſday laſt, to requeſt his Lordſhip to grant a Common-hall, and iſſue the uſual precepts. The Committee received yeſterday his Lordſhip's anſwer in a letter, which contained a refuſal. The intention of calling the Livery together was, that inſtructions might be given to the City Members, to ſupport the motion which Mr. Sawbridge is to make the 24th inſtant in the Houſe of Commons, to ſhorten the duration of Parliaments.

Advice arrived on Wedneſday in town from the Britiſh Ambaſſador at Vienna, that the treaty of peace, which was in agitation between Ruſſia and the Porte, is irreparably broke up. The chief obſtacle that prevented the above treaty taking place, was the independency of the Crimea, a point which Ruſſia inſiſted upon as the *ſine qua non* of her demands; but as this conceſſion would be conſidered by the Turks as injurious both to their honour and intereſt, they will ſee the enemy at the gates of the Divan before they will accede to it; ſo that both powers are preparing to begin the ſpring with the moſt hoſtile and vigorous operations.

A great trading Company have filed a bill in Chancery againſt a certain Peer, for his conduct in the Eaſt. It is ſaid they want ſome of his depredations to be refunded.

FEBRUARY 15. On Monday her Royal Highneſs of Brunſwick will ſet out on her return home, preparations being ordered to be made for that purpoſe.

It is unlucky at this critical juncture, that we ſhould have had no miniſter for ſome time at the Court of Berlin, which, if we may gueſs from circumſtances, has been the centre of the preſent political intrigues. A conſtant intercourſe, it is affirmed, has ſubſiſted for a conſiderable length of time between France, Spain, Sweden, and the Court of Berlin. The only advices received here of this alarming correſpondence have been through the channel of our Ambaſſador at the Hague. If the object of ſo formidable a cabal has not *been compaſſed already*, we may hope that the intelligence now received by our Court, and the arrival of ſo able a Miniſter as Mr. Harris at the place of his deſtination, may avert the miſchiefs we have too much reaſon to fear.

Her Imperial Majeſty of all the Ruſſias has done Admiral Elphinſtone the honour to ſend him a very large and curious medal, ſtruck in commemoration of the burning the Ottoman fleet at Cheſme.

This day a great number of reſpectable Common-Councilmen of this city waited upon the Right Hon. the Lord Mayor, to requeſt a Court might be called on the 18th inſtant, for the purpoſe of inſtructing the City Repreſentatives to ſupport Mr. Sawbridge's motion on the 24th in the Houſe of Commons, for ſhortening the duration of Parliaments; which requeſt his Lordſhip peremptorily refuſed.

A correſpondent remarks, that as the Queen Conſort of Denmark is allowed all the ladies of her Court at the preſent place of her impriſonment, it is not probable that any deſign is formed againſt her life; though he adds, that priſons and guards muſt fill the mind of ſo young a creature with dreadful apprehenſions, eſpecially at ſuch a diſtance from her friends, and wholly ſurrounded by her enemies.

FEBRUARY 17. It is certain that to increaſe the public expences in Ireland contrary to an expreſs vote of the Houſe of Commons is virtually to annihilate its parliament, and it is alſo certain, that had ſuch a ſtretch of power taken place in Boſton, the Babes of Grace would have long ſince cried out, "To your tents O Iſrael!"

Our correſpondent from Copenhagen, who dates his letter January 23, remarks, that all is jealouſy and ſuſpicion there. No perſon can depart from that city without a *ſpecial* paſſport. If he be a tradeſman or mechanic, his paſſport muſt be atteſted by the reſpective Alderman of his company, and even that atteſtation muſt be confirmed by the City-clerk the day before he can receive his paſſport from the Chancery. If he be a Jew he muſt be atteſted with like circumſtances by the Elder of the Synagogue there. If he be a burgher, or officer, military or civil, or a clergyman, he muſt give ample ſecurity, purporting that his application for abſence from the city ſhall not be any ways prejudical to the public; and within the city an ordinance is iſſued, that no perſon ſhall be ſeen in any public-houſe, alehouſe, or wine-cellar, after ten o'clock at night, under penalty that the landlord of ſuch houſes ſhall forfeit and pay one ounce of ſilver for every perſon ſo found after ten o'clock; and the party ſo ſtaying after the appointed time, to be puniſhed as the Magiſtrates of the Police ſhall deem adviſable or adequate to the offence; and ſtrict orders are given that no perſon diſcharge any fire-arms, ſuch as guns, piſtols, and even pop-guns; nor play off any crackers, ſerpents, or even ſquibs. A High Commiſſion, conſiſting of ſix Nobles, is appointed to enquire into the papers, effects, money and goods of the reſpective priſoners; this High Commiſſion is to ſit every day from nine in the morning till four in the afternoon, at Chriſtianſbourg, and all ſuch perſons as are indebted to any of theſe ſtate-priſoners, or that have any money, papers, letters, or effects of theſe priſoners in their hands, and will not appear within eight days before the ſaid Commiſſioners, will be moſt rigorouſly dealt with.

From Copenhagen, of February 1, we learn that the preſent Miniſtry, to ingratiate themſelves with the people, had opened his Majeſty's granaries, and diſtributed nine hundred tons of rye at Elſineur only, at half the price it originally coſt, which prudent ſtep immediately occaſioned that ſort of corn to fall in price 25 per cent.

We learn by our letters of the 17th of December from Conſtantinople, that ſeveral Ruſſian frigates have been lately ſeen in the Euxine or Black Sea, which have even fired upon ſome Turkiſh ſhips there, and which *latter* had, with great difficulty, eſcaped from them. This event having been authentically aſcertained, and duly notified to the Marine Department in Conſtantinople, ſix xebeques and four gallies were immediately ordered out on a cruize in the Black Sea, and particularly at the mouth of it, for the ſafety of the caſtles called the CAVAX. And in a poſtcript to this letter we have advice that Ali Bey had taken by ſtorm the city of Scida, otherwiſe *Sidon*, in Syria, on the 29th of October, which he intends to make the capital ſeat of his government in all Syria, to which he invites all the Jews from every quarter of the globe to come and ſettle, promiſing them not only to have the free exerciſe of their religion, but alſo full liberty of trading, and even an admiſſion into all the departments of government, as natural members of the ſame.---At Gaza, Damaſcus and Aleppo, Ali Bey has an army of 60,000 men.

FEBRUARY 18. The departure of the Princeſs of Brunſwick was poſtponed till laſt night at ſeven o'clock, having previouſly dined with their Majeſties at the Queen's palace; her Royal Highneſs was to proceed to Lord Holderneſs's ſeat at Walmer caſtle in Kent, and this day to embark at Dover for Calais in her way home.

On Sunday laſt a moſt affecting ſermon upon the peculiar ſituation of the Royal Family was preached at Queen-ſtreet Chapel, from the following words:---"Father, if thou be willing, remove this cup from me; nevertheleſs, not my will, but thine be done." The preacher took occaſion to introduce the affliction of the Royal Family in ſo pathetic a ſtrain as to draw tears from the whole audience.

Extract of a genuine letter from Elſineur, January 28.

"All is in confuſion on this ſide the Iſle of Zeeland, and the Swediſh troops are in motion at Sconan, on the oppoſite ſhore. The Queen is confined at Kronenburgh, and is reported to be *exceedingly ill*. God ſend all may end well. French politicks have prevailed; and we are aſſured the King has ſigned a new treaty with his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty and Sweden, no way to the advantage of the commerce of Great-Britain. The public opinion is, that the Prince Royal will be declared illegitimate, and the King's half-brother proclaimed ſucceſſor to the throne. Count Guildendieu keeps the garriſon here continually under arms, as the common people have committed ſeveral outrages on the houſes of ſome of the perſons connected with the new adminiſtration. A report has juſt been circulated that the common people at Copenhagen have taken arms and oppoſed the new Council, and that great numbers of them have been deſtroyed by the ſoldiers."

Letters from Aleppo of the 17th of November, affirm, that an earthquake has happened in the deſart, which has overturned all the ſtately ruins of Balbec. The earth opened in different places, and has diſcloſed a vaſt variety of catacombs, full of ſtone coffins, with inſcriptions in great preſervation; many of which have been exactly taken on the ſpot, and are ſent to England to be decyphered by the antiquaries.

The King and Queen appeared very much dejected on Sunday; his Majeſty's grief, however, was ſolemn and compoſed; but our amiable Queen teſtified by her countenance too ſtrongly, that ſhe had not got over the ſhock of the late misfortunes, and that they ſtill preyed on her mind with the keeneſt ſenſibility.

Lord Rockingham, Lord Lyttelton, and ſeveral other diſtinguiſhed Members of the *late* oppoſition, were at Court on Sunday to pay their compliments, and it was expected, that common decency would have brought two great perſonages from Kent to condole in the hour of affliction with their Sovereign. But though their titles and penſions are the *ſpontaneous* reſult of his Majeſty's favour, neither have ever once approached to ſympathize in the diſtreſſes of his family.

Letters arrived in town on Saturday evening from Amſterdam, dated February 11, gives an account, that on that day authentic news was juſt received from Copenhagen, mentioning that every thing was quiet there on the 1ſt inſtant, and promiſing a permanent eſtabliſhment of the public tranquility.

The Dutch mail, which we ſpeak of in the foregoing paragraph, does not mention *in what manner* every thing was quiet at Copenhagen on the firſt of February; therefore the public anxiety is no ways removed by the information which it brings; becauſe every thing may be quiet under Queen Julia-Maria, as well as under the reſtored authority of his Daniſh Majeſty. Some people have affected to diſbelieve the report of the Queen Conſort's being ſent to priſon merely to ſave her from the fury of the populace, and think it impoſſible that the moſt brutal mob ſhould attack a lady; let them however recollect how often the late Princeſs Dowager of Wales was attacked on her road to Dover, or how her remains were inſulted laſt Saturday evening, and then they will ceaſe to wonder at plebeian brutality.

Two queſtions, we hear, at preſent, agitate the cabinet; Firſt, whether the Queen of Denmark, as a ſubject of that ſtate, is not amenable to the Daniſh laws; and ſecondly, whether her matrimonial infelicity is an object of ſufficient conſequence to involve this kingdom in a war, perhaps with the principal powers of Europe.

Yeſterday a motion was made by Mr. Seymour in the Houſe of Commons, for leave to bring in a bill for quieting the ſubjects of this realm againſt dormant claims of the Church, when, after a long debate, the Houſe divided, and 127 appeared for the motion, and 141 againſt it.

The ſum of 55,192l. remaining in the Exchequer, will be applied towards the Supply;---394,725l. will be granted for the ordinary of the Navy, and half-pay for Sea and Marine Officers; and 375,939l. will be granted for building and repairing ſhips.

ST. JAMES'S, February 29. This day his Majeſty was pleaſed to confer the Order of the Moſt Honourable Order of the Bath on Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Murray Keith, his Majeſty's Envoy Extraordinary at the Court of Copenhagen.

SAVANNAH, *(Georgia)* APRIL 1.

The following Gentlemen are choſen Repreſentatives in the General Aſſembly of this Province, viz. Edward Barnard, Alexander Inglis, and Thomas Shruder, Eſq'rs. for the Pariſh of St. Paul; Nathaniel Hall, and John Thomas, Eſq'rs. for the Pariſh of St. George; and William Ewen, Stephen Mellen, and John Stirk, Eſq'rs. for the Pariſh of St. Matthew.

Wedneſday laſt ſailed from Tybee, for Cowes, the Snow Induſtry, Captain Furſe, in which went Paſſengers, Mr. James Thomſon, and Mr. William Stephens.

APRIL 15. The following Gentlemen are elected Members of the Honourable Commons Houſe of Aſſembly of this Province, viz. Benjamin Andrew, Audley Maxwell, and John Stevens, Eſq'rs. for the Pariſh of St. John; William Le Conte, and Jonathan Cochran, Eſq'rs. for the Pariſh of St. Philip; and James Spalding, Eſq; for the Pariſh of St. James.---The General Aſſembly meets on Tueſday next.

APRIL 22. The following Gentlemen were choſen on Monday laſt, at Chriſt-Church, Church-Wardens and Veſtrymen for the preſent Year, viz.

Church-Wardens. The Honourable Noble Wimberly Jones, Eſq; and William Ewen, Eſq.

Veſtrymen. The Honourable James Reid, Eſq; Noble Wimberly Jones, Archibald Bulloch, Joſiah Tattnell, Philip Box, and William Young, Eſq'rs. Meſſrs. James Moſſman, Thomas Netherclift, Joſeph Clay, and Dr. Henry Lewis Bourquin.

Commiſſioners of the Work-Houſe choſen the ſame Day. Meſſrs. Robert Bolton, Peter Tondee, Thomas Lee, jun. and James Anderſon.

MARRIED.] Mr. George Baſil Spencer, Son of William Spencer, Eſq; to Miſs Nancy Gandy.

CHARLES-TOWN, MAY 5.

ON the 24th ult. the Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, finiſhed their Buſineſs. The Petit Jury during its ſitting convicted William Toatvine of Horſe-ſtealing, and Nicholas Cole of Larceny; and acquitted David Waddel indicted for Murder, John Boyle of ſtealing a Watch, and Daniel Mylander of ſtealing Leather. And,

On Thurſday laſt, at the Adjournment of the ſaid Court, William Toatvine was ſentenced to looſe his Right Ear, and receive 21 Laſhes, this Day; and Nicholas Cole was branded in the Hand, and diſcharged.

His Excellency Lord Charles-Greville Montagu, our Governor, ſet out laſt Week on a Tour to Camden and other Parts of this Province.

Mr. Henry Marſhall, Merchant, came Paſſenger in Captain Maſkall, from London, who arrived here laſt Week.

Friday laſt his Majeſty's Ship Gibraltar, Sir Thomas Rich, Commander, arrived here from Boſton, and we hear is to relieve his Majeſty's Ship Mercury, Robert Keeler, Eſq; Commander.

Sunday laſt the Sloop Nancy, John Earl, Maſter, ſailed for Rhode-Iſland, in whom went Mr. William Carſan, Merchant; Mrs. Carſan, Mr. William Ladſon, Mr. Dechamp, Mr. George Swadler, Captain John Thurſton, Mrs. Gibbes, Mrs. Balfour; Mrs. Gingleman, Miſs Hart, and ſundry other Paſſengers.

The ſame Day his Majeſty's Packet-Boat Diligence, Captain Arthur Clark, arrived here from Penſacola.

About Five o'Clock Sunday Afternoon, we had here a ſevere Storm of Thunder and Lightning, attended with heavy Rain, and very large Hail, but we have not heard of any Damage done.

Yeſterday the Ship Peter & Anne, Thomas Blundell, Maſter, arrived here from Falmouth, in whom came Paſſengers Captain Alexander Gillon, Mrs. Gillon, and her two Sons.

James Trail, Eſq; is appointed Clerk of the Common-Pleas for this Province, and not of the Crown and Peace, as mentioned in our laſt.

DIED.] Benjamin Simons, Eſq; aged 60 Years, late Commiſſary General of this Province; whoſe Death is univerſally regretted.

ARRIVALS from this Port.

The Montagu, Pickles; Carolina-Packet, White; Mermaid, Ball; and Beaufain, Curling, at London.---The Lillies, Angus, at Cowes.

Arrived from Georgia. The Georgia Planter, Inglis; and Polly, Rainier, at London.

April	CUSTOM-HOUSE, ENTRIES INWARD.	*From*
28th.	Ship Carolina-Merchant, William Maſkall,	London
May 2d.	Schooner Induſtry, Edward Allen,	Cape-Nichola-Mole
4th.	Schooner Liberty, Richard Churchill,	Georgia
5th.	Ship Peter & Ann, Thomas Blundell,	Falmouth
	Ship Truman, Joſhua Shepheard,	Briſtol
	Ship Glaſgow, Alexander Marquis,	Liſbon
	Brig Duke of Athol, Robert Grinly,	Rotterdam
	Ship Fame, William Thorntoun,	Madera
May	ENTRIES OUTWARD.	*For*
1ſt.	Ship Governor-Wright, Thomas Hall,	Briſtol
4th.	Sloop Betſey, Edward Todd,	B[illegible]
April	CLEARED FOR DEPARTURE.	
29th.	Schooner Tryall, Reſtcome Sandford,	Rhode [illegible]
May 1ſt.	Sloop Nancy, John Earl,	
2d.	Schooner Induſtry, John Moncrieff,	B[illegible]
	Snow Swift, John Thompſon,	Poo[illegible]
	Schooner Savannah-Packet, John Turner,	G[illegible]
5th.	Schooner Little-Nelly, Nath. Butterfield,	New-Pro[illegible]ce
	Brig Vigilant, John Williamſon,	G[illegible]ſport

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

By his EXCELLENCY *the Right Honourable Lord* CHARLES-GREVILLE MONTAGU, *Captain-General, G[illegible]nor and Commander in Chief, in and over the ſaid Province, Vice Admiral of the ſame.*

A PROCLAMATION.

WHEREAS the Right Honourable the Earl of H[illegible]rough, one of his Majeſty's Principal Secretaries of State, hath tranſmitted to me Minutes of his Majeſty's Moſt Honourable Privy Council, bearing Date, at St. James', the Fifteenth Day of January laſt, ſignifying, That an Act of the General Aſſembly of the Province of South-Carolina, entitled "AN ACT *for ſtamping and iſſuing the Sum of Seventy Th[illegible]* "*Pounds, for defraying the Expence of building the ſeveral Court-* "*Houſes and Goals appointed to be built in the ſeveral Diſtricts of* "*this Province, and for other Purpoſes therein mentioned,*" and alſo another Act, entitled, "AN ACT *to encourage the making of* "*Flax, Linens and Thread in this Province;*" which Acts, together with Repreſentations of the Lords Commiſſioners for Trade and Plantations thereupon, having been referred to the Conſideration of a Committe of the Lords of his Majeſty's Moſt Honourable Privy Council for Plantation Affairs: The ſaid Lords of the Committee did this Day report, as their Opinion, to his Majeſty, that the ſaid Acts ought to be diſallowed: His Majeſty taking the ſame into Conſideration, was pleaſed, with the Advice of his Privy Council, to declare his Diſallowance of the ſaid Acts; and purſuant to his Majeſty's Royal Pleaſure thereupon expreſſed, the ſaid Acts are hereby *diſallowed, declared void and of none Effect.* I have therefore iſſued this my Proclamation, hereby notifying the ſame, requiring all Perſons to take Notice, and govern themſelves accordingly.

GIVEN under my Hand, and the Great Seal of the ſaid Province, at Charles-Town, *this Twenty-fourth Day of* April, Anno Domini, 1772, *and in the Twelfth Year of his Majeſty's Reign.*

C. G. MONTAGU.

By his Excellency's Command,
THOMAS SKOTTOWE, Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

On WEDNESDAY the 13th of MAY, Inſtant, and the two following Evenings,

WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION,

By NICHOLAS LANGFORD,

A valuable COLLECTION of BOOKS,

Including the Library of a deceaſed CLERGYMAN, with thoſe of a PHYSICIAN, and a private GENTLEMAN, both leaving the Province.——A printed CATALOGUE will be diſtributed previous to the Sale.

TO BE SOLD,
On Thurſday the 14th of May, Inſtant,
A CARGO OF
ONE HUNDRED and NINETY-SEVEN
HEALTHY and PRIME
SLAVES,
JUST arrived in the Snow MARY, WILLIAM LAVERDY, Maſter, directly from SIERRA LEONE, by ANDREW LORD.
Twelve Months Credit, without Intereſt, will be given.

Charles-Town, May 2, 1772.

MESSIEURS THOMAS JERVEY, and WILLIAM MILLIGAN, having assigned all their Bonds, Notes, Book Debts, and other Effects, to us, the Subscribers, in Trust, for paying out of the Monies arising therefrom, such of their Creditors, as shall within Three Months from this Day, consent and agree to receive a Dividend of their Demands, in Average and Proportion, as far as the said Monies shall extend; those therefore of their Creditors, that are or shall be willing to come in upon the Terms above-mentioned, are desired to signify their consent, and transmit an Account of their Demands duly attested, within the Time prescribed.---The Books of Accounts, &c. are in the Hands of *Daniel Bourdeaux*, at his House in *Tradd-street*, nearly opposite to Mr. *John Savage*'s Stores, to whom, or to *Josiah Smith*, jun. and any other Person they shall appoint to collect, all Persons indebted to said JERVEY & MILLIGAN, 'tis expected will make immediate Payment, and thereby prevent further Trouble and Expence.

ROGER SMITH,
SAMUEL LEGARE,
ALEXANDER CHISHOLME,
DANIEL BOURDEAUX,
JOSIAH SMITH, jun. } Assignees.

N. B. The Store GOODS of the said JERVEY & MILLIGAN, consisting of Brandy, Rum, Wine, Cordials, Bread, Flour, Chocolate, Coffee, Sugar, Pigtail Tobacco, Men and Womens Shoes, dry Goods, a Riding Chair, and other Articles, will be sold at the Vendue-House, on Thursday the 14th Instant.

LEGER & GREENWOOD,

Take the liberty, (through this channel) to acquaint their friends in general, that they have imported in the Union, *Captain* William Coombes, *from* LONDON, *a variety of* ARTICLES, *(many from the first hand) necessary for the present season, which they purpose supplying them with on their usual good terms;*

Amongst which are the following,

HEAD LACE, blond ditto, Pearl and Hanover ditto, fashionable stuffs for waistcoats, silk patterns for ditto, cassimers, princess stuff, serge and cord dusoys, a few plain silks and brown taffetas, a great variety of ribbons, plain and flowered muslins, yard and six-fourth book muslins, gauze, white thread bed fringe and tossels, a variety of printed linens and calicoes, India chints and ginghams, men, women, boys and girls cotton and thread stockings, mens silk stockings, silk breeches pieces, satin, persian, and durant quilted petticoats, very fine white chipt hats, cane ditto, silk liberty hats and feathers, boys thrinnet whimseys ditto with ditto, brocade and satin pumps, mahogany cisterns, mahogany cooling tubs, toilet glasses, neat boxes for ditto, a variety of different size neat Wilton carpets, list carpeting, horse hair ditto, horse hair chair seating, best blue raisins, almonds in the shell, &c. &c. A variety of Manchester CHECKS, and a few half chests of bohea TEA; which they will sell very low for CASH.

JUST IMPORTED,

BOHEA, GREEN, and HYSON TEA,

CHOSE by a good Judge, from a very large Quantity, and are of an extra Quality; which with a Variety of Manchester and Linen ARTICLES, will be sold cheap, especially for CASH, and when a Quantity is taken to sell again. HAWKINS, PETRIE, & Co.

ANCRUMS & CHIFFELLE,

Have imported in the Union, *from* LONDON,

A neat Assortment of GOODS,

AMONGST WHICH ARE,

TWO very handsome fashionable BROCADES, and a most beautiful white Satin striped and figured LUTESTRING; very neat brocaded SHOES, black Satin ditto, red Morocco and white Leather ditto; a large Assortment of fashionable RIBBONS; a Variety of Glass CANDLESTICKS, India Glass SHADES, Pint DECANTERS, &c. &c.

THE CO-PARTNERSHIP OF

BAMPFEILD & OWEN,

EXPIRED THE FIRST INSTANT,

THEY request all those indebted to them, to settle to their Satisfaction by the First of July next; and will be obliged to their Friends, for their Custom, to

JOHN OWEN, & COMPANY,

The present FIRM of the HOUSE.

MACKENZIE & TUNNO,

Have just imported in the Union, *Captain* Coombes, *from* LONDON,

A General Assortment of GOODS, proper for the present Season, which they will sell CHEAP at their STORE on the BAY, the South Corner of Tradd-Street.

A General Assortment of SUMMER GOODS, just imported in the UNION, Captain COOMBES, from *LONDON*, to be sold at our STORE in Jacksonsburgh. JOHN TUNNO, & Co.

TO BE SOLD by public Outcry, on Thursday the 21st of May, Instant, by Messrs. OATS & RUSSEL,

EIGHT NEGROES, some of them extraordinary good House Carpenters, being Part of the personal Estate of Mr. *James Gordon*, deceased. The Conditions of the Sale, is Credit to the first of *January*, 1773; paying Interest, and giving such Security as shall be approved of, by MARY GORDON, Administratrix.

For PORTUGAL, or COWES, and a *MARKET*,

The Ship TRUMAN,

JOSHUA SHEPHEARD, Master.

BURTHEN about Eight Hundred and Fifty Barrels of Rice, will be ready to take on board in Ten Days; has Part of her Cargo already engaged. For Freight of the Remainder, apply to

POWELL, HOPTON, & Co.

TO BE SOLD FOR CASH,

A NEGRO, who is a very good House Wench, and works well with her Needle; is sober and honest. Enquire of the Printer.

JOHN WEBB,

At his *STORE*, near the NEW-EXCHANGE,

Has received by the Captains Coombes *and* Maskall, *from* LONDON, *a great Variety of*

SPRING & SUMMER GOODS;

Which with his late importations, make his assortment very complete; which he is determined to dispose of, on the most moderate terms; among other ARTICLES *are,*

A VARIETY of handsome (and of the newest fashion) English and India plain and striped taffetas and persians; very neat India chints, at 13*l.* the piece, printed ditto, from 5*l.* to 11*l.* the piece, which are remarkably cheap, and very handsome; plain and flowered muslins, muslin handkerchiefs, flowered gauzes and handkerchiefs, with white and coloured satin borders; a very neat white flowered mantua, with a satin stripe; a rich pink and white flowered lutestring, 3 4 striped and plain ditto, at 50*s.* the yard, *cash*; a good black satin; India nankeens, blue and white, and red and white copper-plate linens and calicoes; brown hollands, diapers, 3-4, 6-4, and 8-4 tabling huckaback; Ravens duck, dyed and white Russia drabs; an assortment of Irish linens, as cheap as any in the province, being bought of the first hands; Scotch and Irish osnabrugs, silk mozeens and burdets, for mens jackets; a very neat white persian, with satin stripes, being entirely new in this province, and intended for ladies summer wear; hoses, London made pumps, dressing glasses, with drawers; best three stranded seine twine, blue and white thread pavilion gauze, sagathies and durants, buff and black cassimires, at 32*s.* 6*d.* the yard; dyed jeans and fustians, fine yard and ell-wide cotton loom quilting for ladies petticoats, fine black princes stuff, matrasses, portmanteau trunks, pickles, sweet oil, in quart and pint bottles; mens and boys fashionable hats, hosiery, very cheap; with a variety of other articles, usually imported.—Exceeding fine hyson TEA, at 5*l.* 10*s.* the pound; oronoko tobacco, at 12*s.* 6*d.* London loaf sugar, at 5*s.* the pound; with Jamaica and Barbados RUM, WINE, Muscovado SUGAR, SALT, &c. &c.

Those who are pleased to favour him with their orders, may depend on being served on the best terms, and with the greatest assiduity.

The SUBSCRIBER,

Having taken a more convenient STORE, the Corner House of Beadon's-Alley, in Elliott-Street,

Where he now sells the following GOODS, at EIGHT *and an* HALF *for* ONE, *CASH*, viz.

IRISH LINENS, Tombour worked ruffles, handkerchiefs and aprons, needle worked lawn ditto, flowered and plain muslins and humhums, figured, striped and plain lawns, cambrick, ounce thread, printed gowns, japaned tea-boards and ink-stands.

And the following GOODS, much cheaper than the usual ADVANCE, viz.

London refined SUGAR, at 4*s.* 6*d.* by the hundred weight, table cloths, pickled herrings, men and womens shoes, osnabrugs, fine and coarse hearth china, enamaled plates, cups, saucers, and bowls; RED PORT in bottles, &c. &c.

TEAS JUST OPENED.

Hyson, at 4*l.* 10*s.* Green, at 60*s.* and 50*s.* Soushong, at 45*s.* Bohea, at 27*s.* 6*d.* and 25*s.* by

SAMUEL GORDON.

N. B. Two good Up-stair STORES, to be let by the Month or Quarter, and a dry CELLAR.

JOHN COX,
AND
STEPHEN PROSSER,

Having entered into CO PARTNERSHIP,

Acquaint their Friends, that they have opened STORE where the late Messrs. ROBERT MCCLEOD, & Co. *lived at* Stony-Creek, *and have an Assortment of GOODS, suitable to the COUNTRY; among which are,*

GARLIX, Dowlas, Irish Linens, Sheeting ditto, Checks, Holland Stripes, Cambrick, Clear Lawn, Pistol ditto, printed Calicoes and Linens, Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs, black Barcelona Handkerchiefs and Cravats, Thread, Tape, Sewing Silk and Needles, Jeans, Sagathies, Russia Drab, Clouting Diaper and Table-Cloths, Padlocks, Worsted and Thread Hose, Men and Womens Gloves, Bed-Cords, Copper Tea-Kettles, Spices of all Kinds, Tea, Coffee, Sugar, Plains, Flannel, Tobacco and Pipes, Mens Beaver Hats, Men and Boys Felt ditto, Mustard, Hoes and Iron Pots, Stone Plates and Dishes, Men and Womens Leather Shoes and Pumps, Womens Calamanco ditto, Osnabrug, Gun-Powder and Shot, Nails, Salt, Rum, &c. &c.

TO BE SOLD at public Outcry,

By the Subscriber, at the Presbyterian Meeting-House, on Edisto Island, on Monday the 25th of May Instant, between the Hours of Ten and Twelve o'Clock in the Forenoon,

A Negro FELLOW, and a very good Mustee House WENCH, with her Three Children; being Part of the Estate of BENJAMIN COWEN, deceased. The Conditions will be made known on the Day of Sale.

SARAH STANYARNE.

Easter-Monday, April 20. 1772.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, to all Residents and Non-residents, who are possessed of Lands, Slaves, and Monies at Interest, in the Parish of St. James, Santee, that they are assessed *One Shilling and Six Pence* for every Slave, *One Shilling and Six Pence* for every Hundred Acres of Land, and *Nine Pence* for every Hundred Pounds at Interest, and that they do pay the same, on or before the First Tuesday in June next, to either of us.

WILLIAM CHEEKEN,
LEWIS MILES, } Church-Wardens.

WANTED,

A White Man, to attend a Gentleman going to England, who will sail on Thursday next; good Wages will be given. Apply to the Printer.

WILLIAM GLEN, & SON,

Have just imported in the Union, *Captain* Coombes, *from* LONDON, *a general and complete assortment of*

EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS;

suitable for the present season, which they will sell on the most reasonable terms that can possibly be afforded, at their STORES, in Elliott-street; among which,

They particularise the FOLLOWING;

A GREAT variety of printed linens, cottons and calicoes, English and India chints, some with borders, Irish sheeting, and other linens, of all prices, flowered, clear, pistol, and long lawns, cambricks, muslins, damask and diaper table cloths, huckaback, dimities, dowlas, a great variety of checks, stripes, and cotton hollands, osnabrugs, fustians, jeans, thickists, princes stuffs, India nankeens, damasks, calamancoes, durants, tammies, sagathies, a great choice of the most fashionable superfine broad and other cloths, with suitable trimmings, cotton, linen, and silk handkerchiefs, black Barcelona cravats and handkerchiefs, a variety of men, women, boys, and girls silk, cotton, and thread hose, womens calamanco shoes and pumps, leather ditto, breeches patterns, thread and silk pavilion gauze, a variety of India persians, taffetas, and other silks, stuff for ladies petticoats, wove like quilting, turned stays, black and blond laces, head lace and edgings, a variety of ribbons, ferrits, biodings, gartering, tapes, threads, laces, sewing silks, fans, needles, pins, &c. mens beaver and felt hats, ladies riding and silk ditto, spices of all sorts, black pepper, fig and powder blue, Poland and common starch, very fine bohea tea, loaf sugar, salled oil, family medicines, paints of all colours, linseed oil, glue, window glass, short and long pipes, iron pots, steel, bar iron, bar lead and shot, gun-powder, nails of all sorts, locks, hinges, and other articles for building, hoes, axes, sieves, mill saws, crosscut and whip saws, and other plantation tools, sets of desk and chest of drawers furniture, brass and box castors, and other articles for cabinet ware, carpenters and coopers tools, a great variety of cutlery, ironmongery, sadlery, brazery and stationary, blue and white, and enameled china, queens and stone ware, glass of all sorts, horn tumblers, brushes and brooms, shoe thread and spinnell, horse hair seating, portmantua trunks, &c. &c.

N. B. RUM of all sorts, Muscovado SUGAR, COFFEE, PIMENTO, &c.

TO BE LET, and may be entered on the Fourteenth of May Instant,

THE WHARF adjoining Mr. EVELEIGH's, commonly called GIBBES's Wharf. For further Particulars, apply to *Fabre, Simons, & Co.* or

ARNOLDUS VANDERHORST.

MISSING from a LADY's Side, between St. Michael's Church, and Mr. Theus's Corner, at the upper End of Broad-Street, about a Month since, a

CHASED GOLD WATCH CASE,

the Figure on the Back thereof is Hymen Crowning Zikes, No. 1223. Whoever finds and delivers it to Mr. William Lee, Watch-Maker, shall receive ONE GUINEA Reward.

Charles-Town, May 1, 1772.

STOLEN out of the House of the Subscriber, a few Days past, Three DIAMOND RINGS, Dutch set: One a Hoop Ring, and set half round with Diamonds: One ditto being a Diamond in the Shape of a Heart, with a Crown over it, and set with small Diamonds: And one ditto, two Hands holding a Diamond Heart. If offered for Sale, its hoped they will be stopt; and if any Person will either stop said Rings, or Part of them, or give Information, so that they might be got again, shall have TWO GUINEAS Reward, from

NATHAN LEVY, in King-Street.

STRAYED or stolen the 29th of September last, two HORSES, a bay and a black; the bay, is about thirteen and a half hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder like QB in one; the black, is about fourteen hands high, branded on the mounting shoulder like CL in one, paces a travelling gait, is very gray about his head and fore feet. Any Person taking up the above horses, shall receive TEN POUNDS reward, from me, living on Stono, at the thirteen mile post.

WILLIAM ELLIS.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber in February, 1771, a negro man named TESEN, between 40 and 50 years old, about 5 feet high, lately purchased at the sale of Mr. *James Le Bas*'s estate, at Monck's Corner, and is supposed to be harboured in Amelia township. Whoever apprehends the said negro, and delivers him to me at my plantation in St. Stephen's parish, or to the warden of the work house, in Charles-Town, shall receive a reward of FIFTEEN POUNDS, with reasonable charges; and FIFTY POUNDS reward will be paid to whoever informs of his being harboured by a white person, on conviction of the offender.

ROBERT CARUSAC.

Goose-Creek, April 29. 1772.

I AM informed of a likely gray GELDING, about fourteen hands high, both paces and trots; branded on the mounting shoulder with a Heart upside-down, and on the buttock and off shoulder like E 2.

I am likewise informed of a bay GELDING, about thirteen hands high, with a bob tail, and his mane lately trimed; branded on the mounting shoulder and buttock ls, and has a small star in his forehead.

The owners of the above strays, may prove their property before HENRY SMITH.

TAKEN drifting up Stono Inlet, opposite the West End of the Folly Island, a YAWL, much about 14 feet long, and 5 Feet 6 Inches wide, Turpentine Bottom within and without, carries four Oars. The Owner, on proving his Property, paying for this Advertisement, and all reasonable Charges, may have the said Drift, by applying on the Folly, by THOMAS HOLLINSHED.

PROPOSALS

FOR ENGRAVING by SUBSCRIPTION, a MAP of the Parish of *St. Stephen*, in this Province, exhibiting a View of all the different Places, thro' which a Communication by Water may be opened between the Metropolis and interior Parts of this Province, by Means of a CANAL, uniting *Santee* and *Cooper* RIVERS, from an actual SURVEY.

CONDITIONS.

THE Dimensions of the Map will be Twenty-five Inches by Thirty-two Inches, containing as much of the Parishes of *St. John* and *St. James*, as will include *Greenland* and *Biggon Swamps*, *Monck's Corner*, and *Huger's Bridge* to the South-West, and *Santee Creek* and *Hell-Hole Swamp* to the South-East, to be neatly engraved on a Scale of One Mile to an Inch, in which, with proper Distinctions, will be laid down all the public and private Roads, customary Paths, Ferries, Landings, Bridges, and public Buildings, also the Rivers, Creeks, Lakes, Islands, River and Inland Swamps, &c. &c. together with the Name and Situation of every Inhabitant of the Parish and Parts adjoining.

The Price to Subscribers will be FIVE POUNDS, to be paid on Delivery of the Map, which (as the Engraving is to be performed in *America*) will be immediately after a sufficient Number are subscribed for.

SUBSCRIPTIONS are taken in by the Printer hereof, Mr. *Nicholas Langford*, Bookseller, Messieurs *Bounetau* and *Sloan*, Merchants, Mr. *William Doughty*, Merchant, and Mr. *James Oliphant*, Jeweller, in *Charles-Town*; Mr. *Peter Sinkler*, in *St. Stephen's*; Mr. *Elias Ball*, in *St. James's*; Mr. *Isaac Harleston*, in *St. John's*; *Robert Quash*, and *Peter Mouzon*, Esquires, in *St. Thomas* and *St. Dennis's*; *Arnoldus Vanderhorst*, Esq; in *Christ Church* Parish; and by several other Gentlemen in the different Parishes.

HENRY MOUZON, jun.

N. B. A SPECIMEN of the WORK may be seen at Mr. *Langford's*.

NINE for ONE CASH.

WILLIAM SIMPSON,

At his Store in Church-Street, formerly occupied by Mr. John Forbes, has to dispose of an assortment of GOODS, consisting of the following ARTICLES;

TEN and eleven nail, three quarters, and seven-eighths, yard wide, eleven-eighths and six-quarters checks and stripes, furniture checks, check handkerchiefs, osnabrugs, Irish linen, men and womens stockings, ounce threads, ell wide quilted petticoats, quilted and common counterpanes, cradle quilts, rugbers, black silk cravats and Barcelona handkerchiefs, white, black, and coloured jeans, India cotton jeans, moreens and damascus, white and black denimite, corded and figured dimities, thicksets, olive, claret, purple, blue, white, and scarlet velverets; felt and beaver hats, damask and diaper table cloths, long and clear lawns, printed linens and cottons, printed handkerchiefs, book muslin, blue, green and white, checked, and plain thread pavilion gauze, spotted and flowered minionet lawns, six-quarters and yard wide; a great variety of silk gauzes, needle worked aprons, double handkerchiefs, and ruffles, plain and flowered bordered lawn handkerchiefs; with pipes in boxes, saddlery, wool and baked hair matrasses, a neat assortment of JEWELLERY.

As the above goods are purchased from the manufacturers, they will come very reasonable.

N. B. All those indebted to him by bond, note, or book-debt, are desired to settle with him immediately, otherways they will find their accounts in the hands of an attorney.

THE Subscriber intending in a short Time, to leave the Province for a few Months, gives public Notice, that he is ready to appear, answer, or file Bail to any Suit, Summons, or Process, that may be issued or brought against him, in Terms of the Attachment-Act.—In the mean Time, he will be obliged to all who are indebted to the Estate of *Elisha Poinsett*, senior, deceased; as also to those indebted to *Carne & Poinsett*, previous to the 1st of January last, to settle with him before his Departure.

ELISHA POINSETT.

ALL Persons indebted to the Estate of Mr. EDWARD DEMPSEY, deceased, either by Bond, Book-Debt, or otherwise, are desired to settle the same with the Subscriber, as soon as possible.—And those to whom the said Estate is indebted, are requested to deliver in their Accompts, properly attested, to

SAMUEL GREVILLE.

WHEREAS the Board of the High Road Commissioners of the Parish of *St. Paul*, did sometime ago assess all the Male Inhabitants of said Parish, white Persons as well as Slaves, free Negroes, Mulattoes, &c. from the Age of Sixteen, to Sixty Years old, in the Sum of *Twenty-seven Shillings and Six Pence* per Head, current Money, in Order to discharge the Expences of building of *Rantowle's* and *Wallace's* Bridges; and at the same Time did appoint Messrs. *James Postell*, jun. *Jacob Stevens*, jun. *Benjamin Stiles*, *William Garner*, *Roger Sanders*, and *Christian Motte*, to collect the said Assessment. AND WHEREAS the said Gentlemen did advertise the same the Eighth Day of *November* last, in the Public Gazette, for all Persons concerned, to pay their respective Parts of the said Assessment to them, or either of them, on or before the first Day of *January* last past. The Board of Commissioners now met at the Parish Church, on *Easter Monday*, having received the said Gentlemen's Money which they collected, find that many Persons have neglected to pay their Parts of said Tax. Therefore, the Board do agree, that the aforesaid Gentlemen do continue to receive the remaining Part of the said Assessment: And all those Persons who have neglected to pay the same, are for the last Time, desired to pay their Tax unto Messieurs *Isaac M'Pherson*, *James Postell*, jun. *William Garner*, *Roger Sanders*, and *Christian Motte*, or either of them, on or before the 25th Day of *May* next ensuing, otherways Executions will certainly be granted against them, without any further Notice.

By Order of the Board,

April 20. 1772. ANDREW LEITCH, Chairman.

To be leased for a Term of Years, from January 1773,

SEVERAL Thousand Acres of LAND on *Hilton-head Island*, exceeding good for Corn, Indico, &c. Part of the Estate of JOHN BAILEY, Esq; by

WILLIAM LAWRENCE.

☞ Mr. JAMES DOHARTY, of *Beaufort*, will shew the Lands to any Persons inclining to lease the same.

NOW OPENING, at the Subscriber's Store opposite the EXCHANGE,

A full ASSORTMENT of GOODS,

Calculated to suit the present Season, which he has just imported by the Captains COOMBES *and* MASKALL, *from* LONDON;—*a few of which, it may be proper here to particularize, viz.*

SEVERAL complete Sets of GLASSES for Side-boards, elegantly cut and flowered, with the fashionable Quantity of Pint Decanters to each Set, India Candle Shades, striped India Taffatas, a Variety of English ditto, of an entire new Manufactory, beautiful Figures, and cheap; a very large Assortment of India Chintzes, bordered and plain, some of the latter uncommonly fine, and extra Lengths, China Pickle-Saucers, Crow-coloured Mantuas, quite free of Spots, with several Dozens of black Silk Trimmings for ditto, very much the Fashion at present; a great Variety of Sash and Sarsnet RIBBONS, Thread and Blond Edgings of all Prices, Double-edge Thread Lappit Laces, Ladies white Morocco and finest black Russel Pumps, Ditto white Holland Gloves, branched;—coloured Silk Gauze Handkerchiefs, Loom Quilting for Petticoats, Marseilles Cotton large Bed Covers, Boys black and blue Satin Hats with Gold Bands, Whimsey Hats; FRESH PICKLES, amongst which are, the Green and White Mangoes— Women and Girls Ticken Turn-Stays, crimson and blue Coventry marking Thread; a fresh Supply of IRISH LINENS of all Prices, equal to his last Importation, so well known for being cheap, &c. &c. The above will be sold at a moderate Advance.

WILLIAM DOUGHTY.

In the CAROLINA MERCHANT, *Captain* WILLIAM MASKALL, *from* LONDON,

DAWSON & WALTER,

HAVE JUST IMPORTED,

A LARGE and COMPLETE ASSORTMENT of EUROPEAN and EAST-INDIA GOODS, suitable to the present Season, which will be disposed of on very reasonable Terms, at their Stores, either in Town or Country. 6w.

THE Honourable the Court of Chancery, having lately decreed and ordered a Division of the personal Estate of THOMAS CORKER, late of Charles-Town, Merchant, deceased: The Subscriber, as Executor to said Estate, hereby gives Notice to all and every Person anyways indebted to said Estate, that they do make immediate Payment of their respective Debts; and if any Person hath lawful Demands on said Estate, they are for the last Time required to bring them in duly attested, that they may receive Payment from

JOSIAH SMITH, jun.

Berkley County, St. John's Parish. April 20, 1772.

AS there is a Necessity of raising a Tax for defraying the Charges of rebuilding WATBOO and BIGGON BRIDGES: This is to give NOTICE to all Persons concerned, that they are hereby required to make a Return of all their Males, taxable within the Parish of St. John's aforesaid, to either of us, Commissioners of the High Roads for said Parish, on or before the third Wednesday in May next: And this is also to give NOTICE to all Persons who are Defaulters for not working on the High Roads, that they do pay their respective Fines, on or before the above Day to either of us, or otherways they will be sued according to Law.

EDWARD HARLESTON,
HENRY RAVENEL,
DANIEL RAVENEL, jun.
JAMES CORDES, jun.
DANIEL RAVENEL,
JAMES RAVENEL,
JOB MARION,
JOHN CORDES,
PETER WITTEN.

N. B. The BOARD of COMMISSIONERS will meet at Monck's Corner, on said third Wednesday in May, to receive the Returns of Males, and the Fines of Defaulters.

JAMES TAYLOR,

BOOK-BINDER and STATIONER,

INFORMS the Public, that he has removed from the House where he formerly lived, almost opposite the State-House, to a House of John Ward's, Esq; nearly opposite to Mr. John Forbes's, in Church-street, where he continues the BOOK-BINDING BUSINESS in all its Branches.

N. B. He will always have for Sale, red, green, yellow and black INKS, made of the best Qualities.

TO BE SOLD on Wednesday the 27th day of May next, at public sale, on the plantation of WILLIAM GIBBES, *Esq; on John's-Island, where* DAVID HEXT, *deceased, lately lived, all the personal estate of the said deceased,*

CONSISTING of two valuable Wenches, a small stock of horses, hogs, and neat cattle, kitchen furniture, plantation tools, &c. The conditions of the sale will be cash, the property not be altered, until the money is paid.

ALL persons who have any demands against the said estate, are desired to make them known, on or before the day of sale, in order that they may receive their dividend, as far as the said estate will admit: Therefore it is hoped, every creditor will avail themselves of this NOTICE, as I will not be accountable for their proportion after that day.

WILLIAM SAMS, Administrator.

A Fresh Parcel of Dr. KEYSER'S famous PILLS, are to be had, with full Directions for their Use in all Cases, at CHARLES CROUCH'S Printing-Office in Elliott-street; where may be seen, a Narrative of the Effects of KEYSER'S Medicine, with an Account of its Analysis, by the Members of the Royal Academy of Sciences.

THREE HUNDRED and FIFTY POUNDS Currency, to be let at Interest, upon approved Security, by the German Friendly Society. Apply to

ABRAHAM SPIDLE, Treasurer.

DANCING AND FENCING.

PIKE'S ACADEMY for DANCING and FENCING, will be opened on Monday next, at the New Assembly Rooms in Church-Street.—The Use of the Small Sword taught every Morning from Five to Nine.—Young Ladies and Gentlemen instructed in Dancing from Nine in the Morning to Five in the Afternoon, every Thursday and Saturday.—The other Days, he attends the principal Boarding Schools.—Ladies and Gentlemen privately instructed in all the modern Dances.—An Evening School every Evening in the Week.—Conscious that he has now provided himself with such a Room, as enables him to teach through the hottest Summer with Ease,—he humbly presumes to recommend to all Parents and Guardians, who can afford it, to continue their Children, Summer as well as Winter;—the great Improvement from which Method will be obvious to every one, and at the same Time remove any invidious Insinuation, that this Hint was only given from a mean lucrative View. *April* 23, 1772.

THE SUBSCRIBER,

HAVING greatly suffered by the Lenity he has shewed for a considerable Time past to those indebted to him, that he is now under an indispensable Necessity of settling with all his Creditors in a very short Time; therefore desires all those indebted to him, either by Bond, Note, or otherways, to discharge the same, on or before the Twentieth Day of May next, after which Time, all Accounts unpaid, or otherways settled to Satisfaction, will be put in the Hands of an Attorney, to be immediately sued for.

WILLIAM HUTCHINS.

On THURSDAY *the Fourteenth of* MAY, *will be sold by public outcry, at the Vendue-House on* ROWAND'S *wharf, in* Charles-Town;

THE LANDS and TENEMENTS late the property of THOMAS CORKER, deceased, divided into the four following LOTS, viz.

I. The Lot, and two Tenements thereon, on the east side of Church-street; containing in front, on the said street, forty-two feet ten inches, and in depth, bounding on the alley leading from Church-street to Union-street, one hundred feet nine inches, or thereabouts; the south side adjoining the lot and dwelling-house of Gabriel Manigault, Esq.

II. A Lot adjoining the above, and containing in front, on the said alley (the south side) fifty-three feet six inches, and in depth forty-three feet, or thereabouts.—On this lot are some small buildings; of which, one with a brick built front on the alley, measures thirty-nine feet three inches in length, and thirteen feet six inches in breadth.

III. A Lot adjoining the last, of the same dimensions, both in front and depth, without any kind of building on it, bounding east, on land of Mr. Manigault, and nearly opposite the dwelling-house of Dr. Lionel Chalmers.

IV. A Lot with two small wooden Tenements thereon, fronting on the north side of the alley aforesaid, forty-three feet six inches, and in depth fifty-five feet five inches, or thereabouts; bounding on the east, of land of Captain George Dick.

Good bills of exchange, at par, payable in London, at thirty days sight, will be taken in payment; the property not to be altered, until these terms are complied with. The titles, deeds or conveyances, for the said lands, to the deceased Thomas Corker, may be seen in the hands of John Corker, brother and heir at law to the said Thomas, at his lodgings at Mr. Nathaniel Bulline's, in Church-street.

ROBERT WELLS.

At the same time and place, will likewise be sold, on the conditions above-mentioned,

One Thousand Acres of Land on Boggy Swamp, in Williamsburg township, joining lands of James MacCants, and others. Also, a Half Acre Lot in the town of Williamsburg, known by the No. 1, in the great plat of the said town; both originally granted in 1735 to James Fisher, and now part of the estate of Thomas Corker, deceased.

St. Andrew's Parish, April 23, 1772.

ANY Person inclinable to undertake the re-building of HOOPER'S BRIDGE, in *St. Andrew's* Parish, are desired to send their Proposals, as soon as possible, to

THOMAS FULLER,
JEREMIAH SAVAGE,
THOMAS ROSE.

THE Subscriber begs Leave to inform the Public, that as the Co-partnership of HEWET & LYNCH has been some Time expired, and having now entered into Business for himself, on the North Side of the White Meeting, intends carrying on the same in as complete a Manner as can be expected in this Province; and begs for a Continuance of such Gentlemen as formerly were pleased to favour him, when in Company. He has now to dispose of, sundry CHAIRS and CHAISES, with Harness which will be sold remarkably cheap, for Cash; also a very light PHEATON, with Harness.

GEORGE HEWET.

N. B. At same Place a complete Range of COACH HOUSES are built, for the Reception of such Gentlemens Carriages that may come to be repaired, and without receiving the least Injury from the Weather.

☞ Also, Gentlemen's Carriages to stand by the Year very reasonable.

TO BE LET,

And may be entered on immediately,

A BRICK TENEMENT in MORRIS-STREET, near the White Meeting, has every suitable Convenience and a good Garden. Apply to

JOHN HORLBECK, & Co.

CHARLES-TOWN: Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-street; where all Manner of Printing Work is performed with Care and Expedition.

ADDITION to the SOUTH-CAROLINA GAZETTE, and COUNTRY JOURNAL.

TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1772. No. 336. [Printed by CHARLES CROUCH, in Elliott-ſtreet.]

Yeſterday Morning the Ship Truman, Joſhua Shepheard, *Maſter, arrived here in eight Weeks from* Briſtol, *by whom we have the following* ADVICES, *viz.*

LONDON, FEBRUARY 20.

YESTERDAY his Excellency Baron de Welter, appointed Miniſter from the Landgrave of Heſſe Caſtle, had his audience of his Majeſty at St. James's, to deliver his credentials.

Lord North has pledged himſelf, that if no other Member will move the Houſe for a parliamentary enquiry into the ſtate of our affairs in India, that he himſelf will make a motion for that purpoſe.

It is aſſerted, that the meaſure of ſending Superviſors to the Eaſt-Indies, is laid aſide, as they cannot be clothed with ſufficient powers. The new law is to eſtabliſh a preſidency of appeal in the Eaſt, which, it is ſuppoſed, will be ſet at Madraſs.

The other day, a gentleman at the Smyrna Coffee-houſe aſking what was meant by "the motion againſt the *dormant* claims of the Clergy," was anſwered by a Wag, That it was to prevent *ſleeping* at church.

FEBRUARY 21. It is ſaid, that yeſterday morning Lord Sandwich and Sir Edward Hawke were ſent for by his Majeſty to the Queen's Palace, where they had a conference with him.

The number of Nobility and Gentry, who attended the levee at the Cockpit yeſterday, was greater than has been known for many years; many of the Lords and Commons in oppoſition were there.

Yeſterday diſpatches were ſent from the Secretary of State's Office, to his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, ſaid to be relative to the new appointed Commiſſioners of the Revenue.

The Addreſs of Condolance of the Houſe of the 10th inſtant, on the death of her Royal Highneſs the Princeſs Dowager of Wales, having been preſented to his Majeſty, his Majeſty was pleaſed to give the following moſt gracious anſwer:

"That he returns his hearty thanks to the Houſe for their Addreſs.

"That his Majeſty is ſenſibly touched by the very kind and affectionate part this Houſe takes in his concern for the great loſs he has ſuffered in his family; and that his Majeſty receives much real comfort and ſatisfaction, from this freſh and convincing proof of the zeal and attachment of his faithful Commons."

From a Society of Traders, confined by Charters to the employment of ſix ſhips and ſix pinnances yearly, the Eaſt-India Company are become ſovereigns of rich extenſive dominions, with a ſtanding army of above ſixty thouſand men at their command.

The nomination of Superviſors is ſaid to be poſtponed till after a parliamentary enquiry into the abuſes of the civil and military Government of Bengal, &c. is finiſhed.

The Dutch, it is reported, are making preparations, which ſeem to indicate an intention of taking an active part in continental affairs, if a general rupture (as is expected) ſhould be the conſequence of ſome northern commotions.

Extract of a letter from Hamburgh, February 7.

"The moſt authentic accounts from our Correſpondents in Denmark do not pretend to penetrate the real cauſe of the late revolution, which ſeems to have taken its riſe more from the political views of the Courts of Paris and Berlin, than from any infidelity exerciſed towards the King by thoſe who ſhould have been the moſt attached to him. Our ſituation is, at any rate, a very precarious one, for if the Courts of Sweden, Paris, Berlin, and Copenhagen, unite to oppoſe the Ruſſians, (which is generally believed will be the caſe,) we cannot long maintain our independency, and in all probability the Hanſe Towns, which from the twelfth century have made ſo reſpectable a maritime figure, and poſſeſſed the greateſt part of the trade of Europe, will in a ſhort time become the wretched appendages to the dominions of a great Northern Monarch. But to preſent matter: The King of Denmark, once a Monarch with unlimited power, is now a ſlave in his own palace, and acts juſt as he is dictated to by the Queen Dowager and the new Council. The parade they made on his birth-day, the 29th ult. was truly ridiculous, and even penetrated by the meaneſt of the populace, who could not but perceive this appearance of attention to his Majeſty is only a cover to the horrid ſcene that will in a ſhort time take place, and end in the deſtruction of himſelf, his Queen, and eldeſt ſon. How far Great-Britain will be a tame ſpectator of theſe wrongs, the Politicians on your ſide the water muſt decide."

Yeſterday the Right Hon. Lord North acquainted the Houſe, that he had a Meſſage from his Majeſty, which was read by Mr. Speaker, and is as follows:

GEORGE, R.

His Majeſty being deſirous, from paternal affection to his own family, and anxious concern for the future welfare of his people, and the honour and dignity of his Crown, that the right of approving all marriages in the Royal Family (which ever has belonged to the Kings of this realm as a matter of public concern) may be made effectual, recommends to both Houſes of Parliament to take into their ſerious conſideration, whether it may not be wiſe and expedient to ſupply the defect of the laws now in being, and by ſome new proviſion more effectually to guard the deſcendants of his late Majeſty King George the Second (other than the iſſue of Princeſſes, who have married or may hereafter marry into foreign families) from marrying without the approbation of his Majeſty, his heirs, or ſucceſſors, firſt had and obtained.

G. R.

An humble Addreſs was reſolved to be preſented to his Majeſty, to return his Majeſty the humble thanks of the Houſe for his moſt gracious Meſſage, and to aſſure his Majeſty that they will not fail to take his Majeſty's Meſſage into their moſt ſerious conſideration.---The ſaid Meſſage was to be taken into conſideration this day.

Yeſterday a Meſſage, to the ſame purport with that ſent to the Commons, was ſent to the Houſe of Lords.

We are informed that the diſtreſs of a Great Family at the Weſt End of the Town has much abated ſince the arrival of the laſt advices from Copenhagen.

Some late letters from Altena, ſpeak ſo favourably of the ſtate priſoners at Copenhagen, that they are expected to be releaſed in a ſhort time.

We hear from Stockholm, that the majority of the Senate are againſt meddling with the affairs of their Northern neighbours; but that the Pruſſian party is of another mind.

FEBRUARY 22. *The report of the Committee of Ways and Means, being made yeſterday in the Lower Houſe, Mr. Buller, at the inſtance of ſome Members, declared the ſtate of the navy to be this:-----Seventy-five ſhips of the line, and perhaps four or five more nearly fitted for ſervice. Mr. Dowdeſwell ſaid, That from the parade which had been made with the excellent condition of the navy, he imagined a hundred ſhips of the line fit for ſervice; and he believed that might have been the caſe, if the induſtry of the Admiralty had been ſo exemplary, as they would have it conſpicuous. He added, that, from his knowledge of thoſe matters, the ſums of money granted for the ſervice of the Navy would not be ſufficient, as the eſtimates upon which they were granted were fixed at a time when proviſions, and every thing elſe, were much cheaper than at preſent. He therefore moved, in order to obtain an eſtimate of the probable expence of the preſent eſtabliſhment of the Navy, that the proper Officers ſhould make out an account as near the truth as poſſible, and grounded on the preſent prices of things, that it might ſerve for the future as the foundation of greater exactneſs in granting proper ſums for the ſupport of the Navy. Sir G. E. after owning that the four pounds per month for every Seamen, and the conjectured eſtimates, were eſtabliſhed in the time of Oliver Cromwell, and that every thing, not abſolutely conjectural, was exactly aſcertained, at laſt confeſſed that there was no impropriety in the motion. Accordingly it paſſed.*

FEBRUARY 24. *By the laſt diſpatches brought over from Ireland, our Miniſtry have had the great mortification to find themſelves again defeated by the Houſe of Commons there, who have again outvoted the Caſtle by* twelve votes, *declaring the appointment of the five new Commiſſioners* illegal.

Friday the Bill for regulating the future marriages of the Royal Family, was preſented by Lord Rochford to the Upper Aſſembly, and read a firſt time.

The D. of C. was in the gallery of the H. of C. when the meſſage from his Majeſty was read.

We are informed that the D. of C. was no leſs than three times laſt week at Mr. Dunning's chambers in Lincoln's-inn.

Within the courſe of the laſt Term, no leſs than eleven cauſes for Crim. Con. were commenced in the Commons.

We are informed, that yeſterday morning a Meſſenger was ſent from the Queen's Palace, with a meſſage from his Majeſty, to his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland, at Windſor Lodge. This meſſage is ſaid to be in conſequence of the Duke of Cumberland's having ſolicited an interview with his Majeſty, who is ſaid to have appointed a day for ſeeing his Royal Highneſs.

Many perſons think that the regulations to be made in conſequence of the late Meſſage to both Houſes, will not extend to any connections that have already taken place, but only with regard to any connections in future. Should it be otherwiſe intended, it is ſuppoſed a noble Duke will enter his proteſt againſt any proceeding that may affect himſelf or his poſterity.

It is ſaid that the honour of Knighthood will very ſoon be conferred upon Mr. Thurlow, his Majeſty's Attorney General.

FEBRUARY 26. *A report is current, that advice was received, by a ſpecial Meſſenger from Amſterdam, that the Preliminary Articles of Peace between the Porte and the Empreſs of Ruſſia had been happily adjuſted; that the belligerent powers had agreed to open a congreſs immediately, to conclude this weighty negociation; and that the town of Jaffa had been fixed upon by all the high contracting parties, as the moſt convenient for the holding this congreſs.*

In a letter received on Saturday laſt from Berlin, by the way of Holland, there is advice, that Meſſengers are conſtantly paſſing between that Court and Copenhagen, and that the Daniſh Reſident there has frequent conferences with his Pruſſian Majeſty, and is in high favour at Court.

It is ſaid that Lord Viſcount Beauchamp, will be appointed a Lord of the Admiralty, in the room of Mr. Charles Fox.

The Eaſt-India Company's intention of ſending Superviſors to their Aſiatic ſettlements will not take place till Autumn, when Laughlin Maclane, Eſq; Governor Verelſt, and three other Gentlemen, will embark for Bengal, in order to fill up their reſpective departments.

A new code of laws, for the government of the Eaſt-India Company's ſervants, has been, within theſe few days, reviſed and corrected for the laſt time, and is now engroſſing, in order to be laid before a General Court.

The following are ſaid to be the heads of the Royal Marriage Bill, as it now ſtands: The Preamble the ſame verbatim as the King's Meſſage.----The firſt Clauſe enacts, that none of the Royal Family ſhall marry without the King's conſent, before the age of five-and-twenty.---The ſecond Clauſe enacts, that any of the Royal Family, above the age of five-and-twenty, being deſirous to marry, ſhall give in writing the name of the perſon to the Privy Council, and if neither Houſe of Parliament interfere, (that is, addreſs the King againſt it) during twelve months, they may marry, notwithſtanding the King may diſapprove.----Any perſon aſſiſting, or knowing of any intention in the Royal Family to marry, and not diſcovering the ſame, to be guilty of a præmunire.

[Burn's Juſtice informs us, that the judgment in præmunire is, that the Defendant ſhall be from thenceforth out of the King's protection, and his lands and tenements, goods and chattels forfeited to the King, and that his body ſhall remain in priſon at the King's pleaſure.]

The above Bill was ordered to be read the ſecond time in the Upper Houſe this day, and the Judges had previous notice to attend.

There are ſaid to be three diſtinct parties, who view this buſineſs in different lights. The Friends of Liberty are of opinion, that the right of controlling the marriages of the Royal Family, ought to be lodged ſolely in the hands of the Legiſlature, as a meaſure in which the public intereſt is concerned: Thoſe who ſteer in the middle track, are for throwing the abſolute controul into the power of the Crown, till the parties are of age; whilſt the Courtiers are for making the Crown the abſolute maſter of the inclinations of all the branches of the Royal Family, till they are twenty-five years of age.

This morning, about three o'clock, a Meſſenger arrived at Whitehall from Denmark. The particulars are not yet tranſpired; but are ſaid to be very favourable.

This morning the Duke of Northumberland had the honour of a private conference with his Majeſty, at the Queen's Palace. It is ſaid his Grace's friends are coming into office.

We hear that Lord Chief Juſtice De Grey is actually going to reſign, on account of his infirm ſtate of health, he not having been able to do any buſineſs ſince the laſt Term, Mr. Juſtice Nares having ſat for him.

This morning Mr. Juſtice Nares had a conference with the Lord Chancellor, immediately after which his Lordſhip went to Lord Mansfield; from which ſome ſay, that Mr. Juſtice Nares will be appointed Chief; but others think the Attorney or Solicitor General will be appointed; if the latter, ſome other changes will take place.

Laſt Saturday ſeveral of the North-Country Pilots were ordered to attend the Trinity-Houſe. Various are the conjectures: Some ſay they are to pilot a Ruſſian fleet expected to arrive from the Straits, but others ſay they were ordered to attend upon a different occaſion.

FEBRUARY 28. The debt due from the French Court to the Britiſh ſubjects of Canada, contracted there for ſtores and proviſion during the laſt war, amounted to the ſum of 35,000,000 of livres, or 1,531,250l. ſterling, for which paper money has been iſſued, and the payment thereof ſecured by an article in the Definitive Treaty of Peace. This debt, we are aſſured, is now on the point of being finally ſettled and paid, to the ſatisfaction of the proprietors. The negociation having been carried on by Lord Rochford, with great attention, ſpirit, candour and ability, the concluſion of this long-depending buſineſs will be very honourable to that Nobleman.

The Lords of the Treaſury have appointed John Temple, Eſq; formerly Surveyor General of the Northern Diſtrict of America, and one of the late Commiſſioners of the Cuſtoms, in America, Surveyor General of the Cuſtoms in this kingdom, at the eſtabliſhed ſalary of four hundred pounds per ann. to be reſident in London, and a daily attendant on the Board of Cuſtoms. By this appointment it is deſigned, that the preſent Offices of Surveyors General for the different coaſts ſhall ceaſe on the demiſe of the incumbents; and it is ſaid that three other gentlemen will be appointed, who, together with Mr. Temple, are to execute the buſineſs of this new appointment.

Yeſterday came on at Doctors Commons, before Dr. Betteſworth, a final hearing between Lord and Lady G. when it was agreed, that all proceedings ſhould be entirely ſtopped. A motion was made for all the papers to be burnt, but the Doctor refuſed it; they are to be lodged in the Commons, and no one permitted to ſee them but by an order from ſome Chief Officer.

We hear that a gentleman, who has lately made a voyage round the world, is firmly of opinion, that the Aurora Frigate was caſt away near the Iſle of Abraham, which is ſituated eaſtward of the Cape of Good Hope; and is determined, on his now-intended voyage, to ſearch that, and ſome other adjoining iſlands, in hopes of making, amongſt his other uſeful diſcoveries, that moſt important one relating to the crew of the Aurora.

The Houſe of Peers was ſaid to be extremely full this day, as the Bill for regulating the Marriages of the Royal Family, ſtood committed for that time.

We are informed that the Judges were to give in their opinions this day, upon the following queſtion: "Whether the care and approbation of the marriages of the Royal Family (other than the iſſue of Princeſſes married into foreign families) does belong to the Kings of this realm?"

It is aſſerted that Lord Camden's opinion was aſked upon the Heads of the Bill for regulating marriages in the Royal Family, and that his Lordſhip recommended ſome alterations, which, however, were diſapproved of.

The lateſt accounts from Copenhagen inform us, that though the reigning Queen of Denmark is not ſet at liberty, yet her confinement is rendered more eaſy ſince the examination of the Count de Struenſee.

FEBRUARY 29. On Wedneſday laſt his Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland came to town from Windſor, with an intent to enter his Proteſt againſt the Bill, now depending before the Lords, for regulating Royal Marriages. His Royal Highneſs was prevented taking this ſtep, by his friends, who adviſed him to wait the iſſue of the Judges opinions.

Soon after the Lords broke up on Wedneſday, it was reported that the queſtion propoſed to the Judges in that Houſe, "Whether the laws of this realm granted to the King the care and approbation of the marriages of the deſcendants of his late Majeſty George II. other than his preſent Majeſty's own children, during their minorities?" Lord Mansfield and the Lord Chancellor ſpoke for ſome time, the purport of whoſe opinions was, that they did. Lord Chief Baron Parker and Lord Chief Juſtice De Grey being abſent, Baron Adams, as Senior of the Exchequer, and conſequently the Lord Chief Baron's Repreſentative, in the name of himſelf and the other ſeven Judges preſent, ſpoke very clearly and copiouſly on the ſubject, and concluded with giving it as their opinion, that there was no law which gave his Majeſty that power. Another queſtion was afterwards propoſed, "Whether the ſpirit of the laws gave ſuch a grant?" The Baron anſwered, that that was a queſtion would take up above two months conſideration, on account of the enſuing Circuits.

Five companies of the Royal Train of artillery at Woolwich are now under orders to embark at the ſhorteſt notice for Gibraltar.--The Tranſports that are to carry them are now actually in the river.

MARCH 2. *After the adjournment of the Houſe of Peers, which ſat very late on Friday night, a Grand Council was held at Earl Gower's in Privy Garden, which did not break up till one o'clock in the morning.----The above Council is ſaid to have been held, in order to counteract a powerful influence now formed againſt the preſent Adminiſtration.*

We have it from pretty good authority, that his Highneſs the D. of Glouceſter is not only much recovered, but in a fair way of getting his health perfectly reſtored. When the laſt advices came from his Royal Highneſs, he was preparing to go to Rome, and propoſes to be in England this ſummer.

Extract of a letter from Copenhagen, February 15.

"*The examined papers of the State Priſoners turn clearly againſt them, notwithſtanding the Court ſhews all the lenity poſſible to them. Yeſterday noon the Engliſh Miniſter, Colonel Keith, had an audience of his Daniſh Majeſty, in the preſence of his Privy Council, on account of diſpatches he received from his Court.*

"*Two Cabinet Secretaries, two Ladies belonging to the Queen, the Waiting Woman to the young Prince, the two young Blackmoors that attended occaſionally upon the Queen and upon the Royal Family, and about twenty other perſons were this week examined before the Commiſſioners, and next week the examination of the State priſoners will begin. Gen. Schmidt is appointed ex Parte to the Commiſſion of the Inquiſition. Admiral Hanſen is ſo far free that he has no guard ſet over him, but is not permitted to go out of his houſe; one of the Queen's Ladies who was under arreſt is ſet at liberty. On Wedneſday morning arrived Monſieur Ernſt, Colonel Keith's Secretary, from England, who was ſent from hence thither the 18th of laſt month. In the Caſtle are three rooms fitted up for Col. Falkenſchield, Lieut. Gen. Heſſelburg, and Counſellor Sturk. This is done for the convenience of the Commiſſioners; the examination of thoſe is to begin on Thurſday next, on account that they may be near at hand. Counſellor Sturtz was for the firſt time under examination on Friday laſt by the Members of the Commiſſion, and was permitted pen, ink, and paper; after he had written about two ſheets, they were taken from him by the Major of the Guard.*

"*The Daniſh Ambaſſador to the Britiſh Court, Baron de Dieden, who had Leave of Abſence, is ordered immediately to repair to London.*

"*The two Clergymen belonging to the garriſon of Helſingor and Cronenburg, have received orders from the King, to preach by turns before the Queen, the one in German, the other in the Daniſh Language.*"

Letters from Copenhagen mention, that the Queen is now permitted to walk out two miles diſtance from the Caſtle of Cronenburg. Her name is omitted in the public prayers.

It is now ſaid that the cauſe for not making vigorous preparations againſt the Danes, is owing to advices received from Mr. Keith, which ſeem to indicate that the Queen's life is not in danger, as the principal Nobility of the new Council have given the ſtrongeſt aſſurances of their determination to make a fair ſcrutiny into the charges againſt her; and it is univerſally believed, if ſhe had juſtice done her, our Court need be under no apprehenſion on her account.

The 60th regiment of foot, commanded by Sir Jeffery Amherſt, is ordered from Canada, where it is now on duty, to Jamaica.

This morning his Grace the Archbiſhop of Canterbury, the Biſhops of London, Carliſle and Saliſbury, had the honour of a private conference with his Majeſty, relative, it is conjectured, to the Marriage Bill now depending in Parliament.

We are informed, that the laſt packet from Denmark contained a letter from the Queen Conſort, to his Majeſty, the contents of which are kept profoundly ſecret.

The following letter was lately written by the King of Denmark to his Queen:

"MADAM; *I pity your preſent juſt fate. Let this prove my laſt adieu. I wiſh you a ſincere and Chriſtian repentance.*

CHRISTIAN, *Rex.*"

A Gentleman very lately from Copenhagen gives out, that the place where the Queen and her two children are, is at preſent unknown.

The happy effects of a coalition in politics would be ſenſibly felt throughout the kingdom; and as both parties have of late conducted themſelves with much moderation, it may reaſonably be ſuppoſed, that if the terms for uniting were once propoſed, they would be readily embraced by both parties.

A Board of Admiralty was held this day, ſaid to be to ſettle ſeveral matters relative to the ſquadron deſtined for the Eaſt-Indies, of which Sir John Clarke is to be Commodore.

The Royal Oak man of war, of 74 guns, at Portſmouth, Captain Balfour, is one of the ſhips appointed for the Eaſt-Indies.

We hear from Peterſburgh, that the Empreſs of Ruſſia has laid up three millions of roubles for carrying on the war, which in all likelihood will this campaign become moſt ſerious and terrible.

Captain Cheſeman, of the Fiſher, arrived at Cowes, from South-Carolina, met with a very hard gale after he was in Soundings; his Mate was waſhed over and loſt, and ſeveral of his hands diſabled.

MARCH 3. It is now confidently reported, that the late Revolution at the Court of Copenhagen proceeded not from any charge of infidelity in the Queen, but only from a ſuſpicion that ſhe had too great an aſcendency over his Daniſh Majeſty, by which the conduct of the State was entirely under her regulation, ſhe having by that means diſplaced from the Offices of Government thoſe men in whom the people moſt confided, and put others in their ſtead rather obnoxious to them; it was therefore judged neceſſary that the Queen ſhould be removed till affairs are ſettled under the new Government in ſuch a manner, that no ill conſequences may enſue. Prince Frederick, the King's brother, is no favourite of the people, and therefore any Revolution on his account appears abſurd. Count Struenſee will be tried by the Council, for that he, being the Queen's Favourite, had been the inſtigator and adviſer of the changes ſhe made.

Lord Camden ſpoke for almoſt an hour yeſterday, on the Royal Marriage Bill, in the Houſe of Lords; he was anſwered by Lord Mansfield, who was replied to by Lord Temple. Their three ſpeeches took up above two hours and a half.

A few days ſince, the ſum of 8000l. was tranſmitted hither, from the Treaſury of Ireland, to be paid to the Duke of Cumberland, being the amount of His Royal Highneſs's Penſion on the Iriſh Eſtabliſhment, which was paid to his Royal Highneſs accordingly.

MARCH 4. The Enſigns of the Bath were given to Mr. Keith as a reward for his late ſpirited behaviour in defence of the Queen Conſort of Denmark; and we are told his Majeſty is ſo greatly pleaſed with Mr. Keith's conduct, that he has ordered all the uſual expences attending the creation of a Knight to be defrayed out of the privy purſe.

We hear that a new Daniſh Ambaſſador Extraordinary is expected in town ſoon, a houſe being taken for him.

By the laſt advices from Denmark we are informed, that a great number of families have left Copenhagen, and retired into the Country, on account of the unſettled ſtate of affairs in that place.

Within this week paſt, the workmen in the ſeveral Dock-yards of this kingdom have worked double tides. The navy is in a very fine ſtate; and, in a ſhort time, will be fit to cope with any two Powers in Europe.

By a private letter from Copenhagen we are informed, that the opinion of the Britiſh Judges, as handed about there, was to the following effect: "That every Queen, by virtue of her marriage, was no leſs a natural born ſubject than a native of the kingdom; and that the King of Great-Britain would not meddle with the laws of Denmark, which he conſidered as founded in equity; nor would he interfere in the preſent troubles, beyond what the dignity of his Crown, inſeparable from the true intereſts of his people, and built both upon truth, moderation and juſtice, ſhould prompt him to."

The Houſe of Peers broke up laſt night about ſeven o'clock, after debating ſeveral hours on the third reading of the Royal Marriage Bill, which was paſſed on a diviſion, 68 for the Bill, 25 againſt it, and was ordered to the Commons.

The Speakers in favour of the ſaid Bill were, the Lords Gower, Sandwich, Mansfield, and Pomfret, and the Biſhop of Glouceſter. Againſt it, the Duke of Richmond, and Lords Camden, Lyttleton, and Temple, and the Biſhop of Peterborough. Some of theſe Lords were up three or four times. A very ſpirited Proteſt was entered by ſeveral Lords againſt it.

A letter from the Frontiers of Sileſia, dated February 4, confirms the former account of the Confederates ſeizing the caſtle of Cracow, which was effected by a detachment of 180 men, who got through a ſecret way, one by one, into the citadel, which they defended till they were joined by 400 more, who drove the Ruſſians out, after killing 120, and making 91 priſoners. They found in the Caſtle proviſions of all kinds, and conſiderable ſums of money.

This morning arrived a Mail from South-Carolina, which was brought by the Swallow packet boat, after a paſſage of thirty-five days.

MARCH 6. By the Boſcawen, Weſt, from Amſterdam, we have advice, that the price of military utenſils, and ordnance ſtores of all kinds, has been advanced upwards of twenty per cent. within this month paſt, in all the Ports of Holland.

In ſeveral of the diviſions which related to the Royal Marriage Bill, the following Peers were in the Minority: Dukes of Richmond, Portland, Bolton, Devonſhire, Dorſet. Marq. of Rockingham. Earls of Stamford, Thanet, Carliſle, Doncaſter, Abingdon, Albemarle, Coventry, Strafford, Dartmouth, Tankerville, Fitzwilliam, Temple, Radnor, Spencer, Darnley. Earls of Corke, Beſborough, Shelburne. Viſcounts Torrington and Courteney. Biſhops of Exeter, Oxford, and Bangor. Lords Abergavenney, Paget, Craven, Romney, King, Monſon, Ravenſworth, Archer, Lyttelton, Sondes, Milton, Camden.

Lord Temple, in the courſe of the debate on Monday night, remarked, with a mixture of ſpirit and concern, that the *tone* of the Royal Marriage Bill was exactly in *uniſon* with the whole *ſtrain* of politics for theſe laſt nine years.

Two Proteſts are entered againſt the Bill for regulating the future marriages of the Royal Family, one of which is ſigned by fourteen Lords, and the other by ſix.

Yeſterday the Bill for diſſolving the marriage of Lord Ligonier with his now wife, and for leave to marry again, paſſed the Houſe of Lords, and was ſent down to the Commons for their concurrence.

Yeſterday the Committee, which was appointed by the Houſe of Commons to inſpect the Journals of the Houſe of Lords, relative to the proceedings on the Marriage Bill, peruſed the ſame, and took extracts therefrom.

It is reported that ten ſail of the line are ordered to be got ready at Chatham and Portſmouth, but their deſtination is not known.

Yeſterday the Spaniſh Ambaſſador had a long conference with Lord Rochford, ſaid to be upon the ſubject of ſome important advices which his Excellency received a few days ſince from the Court of Madrid.

It is now ſaid, that the Duke of Glouceſter will very ſhortly leave Naples, and proceed to the South of France, where, by the advice of his Phyſicians, his Royal Highneſs will reſide during the ſummer months.

Sir Watkin Williams Wynn is expected in town to-morrow, from Salop, and on Monday will take his ſeat in the Houſe.

COPENHAGEN, *February* 1. The proceedings againſt the State Priſoners go on very ſlowly, owing to the great number of papers that have been taken from ſome of them, which muſt all be examined. It ſeems as if ſome act of deſpair was expected from them, becauſe they are even forbid to ſmoak tobacco. Count Struenſee is the perſon againſt whom the people are moſt enraged; they carry their animoſity againſt him to ſuch a pitch, that they cry his picture about the ſtreets, and whoever refuſes to buy it is looked upon as his friend, and inſulted. In ſhort, the two Struenſees are conſidered as the authors of all our preſent calamities, though it is well known that the Count has redreſſed many grievances, and endeavoured to redreſs more. Baron de Bulow and his Lady are ordered to quit this city.

It is propoſed to reform all the Ordinances of the Cabinet, iſſued from the 15th of September 1770, to the day of the impriſonment of the Count de Struenſee.

The party of the Queen Regent was for above a month divided in opinion: The Conſpiracy was intended originally to have taken place on the 19th of December, but Count Rantzaw abſolutely refuſed to comply.

The Swedes refuſed to comply with the propoſals of Rantzaw; this drove him to the neceſſity of falling in with the Queen Dowager.

COPENHAGEN, *February* 4. This day his Majeſty appeared again in public. The Count de Struenſee has alſo this day undergone his firſt interrogatories before the Commiſſion named for that buſineſs, in a houſe in the citadel, the bridges of which were drawn up to prevent people from crowding to ſee him, the animoſity of the populace increaſing continually againſt him.

A new Commiſſion is ſoon to be appointed, who are ſcrupulouſly to examine into every act of Adminiſtration for a year and a half paſt, and to report what part merits to be annulled.

COPENHAGEN, *February* 8. Public tranquillity is perfectly re-eſtabliſhed in this capital. The King's regiment, and Prince Frederick's, which had been ſent into ſeveral of the ſmall towns, have been recalled, and the ſame poſts are aſſigned them which they poſſeſſed before. Every thing now proves, that there was an odious conſpiracy formed againſt the Sovereign, the authors of which had removed from hence all thoſe whom they could not corrupt. The laſt blow they ſtruck was the ſuppreſſion of the Guards; this brought on their ruin, as it detected them. Providence, who watched over the King's life, did not permit that the dreadful plot they had formed, and which they had already begun to put in execution, ſhould be accompliſhed.

HAMBURGH, February 14. *A letter addreſſed to the King of Denmark, by M. Suhm, one of the three Counſellors of Conference, appointed to examine the ſtate criminals, has been ordered to be printed; the ſubſtance of which is as follows:*

"*YOU hold from God and your people your ſupreme power, and are reſponſible to him for the uſe you make of it. Chooſe Counſellors worthy to aſſiſt you, and no one can be more worthy than your auguſt brother. Let your Ordinances appear in your native language, which is full of majeſty; recall ſuch as have been diſmiſſed without reaſon, eſtabliſh them in their poſts, and admit into your ſervice none but perſons of real deſert; retrench your diverſions; examine ſcrupulouſly into the ſtate of the debts of the Crown, and diſcharge ſuch as are juſt; forget not the ſituation of the Bank and of commerce, and ſuffer not the one or the other to be a means of enriching a few individuals:---If poſſible, diſcharge your ſubjects from the burdens under which they groan, or at leaſt make them more equal, that they may be more eaſily borne. By theſe, and other like regulations, this country will become the ſeat of Proſperity, of Liberty, of Joy, of Abundance, and of Public Security, with a much juſter title than that of England, where, when low and intereſted Miniſters cannot ſtifle the cries of the people from reaching the Throne, they have nevertheleſs prevented their having any good effect, and dared even to impriſon thoſe who acted in defence of the people, and of their moſt ſacred rights and privileges.*"

HAGUE, February 25. *By a private letter from Rome we have the following remarkable anecdote. There is a cuſtom among the order of Monks called Minimes, on every New-Year's day, for the Religious to draw lots for a Saint, and whatever Saint they draw is to be their Patron and Protector the whole year. The preſent Pope is of that order, and, when a Cardinal, was extremely attached to this old cuſtom, as he has been likewiſe ſince he came to the Papacy. It happened when they drew lots this year, that the famous Ignatius Loyola, the Founder of the Jeſuits, was the Saint that fell to the lot of his Holineſs. Many people are of opinion, that this was not merely the effect of chance, but that ſome artifice was made uſe of to direct this Saint to his Holineſs, in hopes to induce him to eſpouſe the cauſe of the Jeſuits, in order to ward off the blow which ſeems to be aimed at them by the King of Spain, who abſolutely inſiſts upon the Pope's annihilating that Society.*

Charles-Town PRICE-CURRENT. Of South-Carolina PRODUCE.

By the Hundred Weight.		*By the Box.*	
RICE,	80s.	Soap,	2 to 4s. lb.
Turpentine,	17s. 6 d	Dipt Tallow Candles,	4s. 6
Rozin,	50	Mould Ditto,	5s.
Flour,	3l. 5s. to 4l.	Myrtle Wax Ditto,	5s.
Ship Bread,	4l. 10	*By the Thouſand.*	
Hemp,	8l.	Shingles,	5l.
Saſſafras,	20s.	Bricks,	7l.
By the Barrel.		STAVES. White Oak Pipe,	30l.
Pitch,	55s.	STAVES. Ditto Hhd.	28l.
Tar, Common,	50s.	STAVES. Ditto Barrel,	14l.
Tar, Green,	3l	STAVES. Red Oak Hhd.	none
Pork,	15l.	*By the Hundred Feet.*	
Beef,	none	PINE. Half Inch Boards,	35s.
By the Pound.		PINE. There-fourth Inch,	40s.
Deer Skins,	14 to 15s.	PINE. Inch,	45s.
Ditto in the Hair,	7s. 6	PINE. Featheredge,	35s.
Beaver Skins,	20s.	PINE. Inch and 1-fourth,	50s.
INDICO. Flora,	none	PINE. Inch and an Half,	70s.
INDICO. Beſt Purple,	40s.	PINE. Inch and 3 Qrs.	80s.
INDICO. Ditto Copper,	40s.	PINE. Two Inch,	5l.
INDICO. 2d Sort,	30s.	Scantling & Timber,	3 to 5l.
INDICO. 3d Sort,	20s.	Shingling Laths,	40s.
Pink and Snake Root,	5s.	CYPRESS. Half Inch,	60s.
Myrtle Wax,	5s.	CYPRESS. Three-fourth Inch,	60s.
Bees Wax,	6s.	CYPRESS. Inch,	65s.
Tann'd Leather,	4s. to 4s. 6	CYPRESS. Inch and 1 fourth,	70s.
Butter,	3s. 6	CYPRESS. Inch and an Half,	70s.
Hogs Lard,	none	CYPRESS. Inch and 3 fourths,	85s.
Tallow,	3s.	CYPRESS. Two Inch,	6l.
Single Refin'd Sugar,	5s.	Scantling & Timber,	5 to 9l.
By the Buſhel.		*By the Barrel.*	
Indian Corn,	20s.	Double Beer,	12l.
Indico Seed,		Table ditto,	8l.
Black-Ey'd Peaſe,	17s. 6d.	Small ditto,	4l.
Red Peaſe,	15s.	*By the Hundred.*	
Potatoes,	10	Plaiſtering Laths,	40s. p. M.
Ground Nuts,	15s.	Reeds,	20s.
Ruff Rice,	15s.	*By the Hogſhead.*	
Oats,	15s.	Rum,	12s. 6d.
Lime,	2s.	*By the Cord.*	
By the Thouſand Weight.		Red Oak Bark,	none
Corn Blades,	12l. 10	Hickory Wood,	4l. 10s.
Hay,	10l.	Oak ditto,	4l.

THOMAS SMITH,

In Elliott-ſtreet, next Door but one to Dr. Eliſha Poinſett's,

HAS FOR SALE,

FINE flavoured Hyſon Tea, Bohea ditto, Cream coloured Ware, Linen, Cotton and Furniture Checks, Muſlins, Cambricks, Damaſcus, Thread Satins, Silk, Cotton, Barcelona and Linen Handkerchiefs, black Cravats, Piemento, ſome very good Claret, excellent Provence Oil, Madame Futong's Cordials, very fine Durham Fleur of Muſtard, fine Blacking Ball, &c. which he will ſell on very low Terms.

A Parcel of SEINE TWINE, exceeding cheap; and a very good toned HARPSICHORD, to be ſold.

TO BE SOLD,

On Friday the 15th of May, Inſtant,

A CARGO OF

ONE HUNDRED and ONE

HEALTHY and PRIME

SLAVES,

JUST arrived in the Bark MOLLY, JOHN MOORE, Maſter, directly from GAMBIA, a Rice Country, by

ANDREW LORD.

Twelve Months Credit, without Intereſt, will be given.

LEFT by a Negro, ſuppoſed to be Run-away, at the Plantation whereon the Subſcriber lives, at James's Iſland, a ſmall YAWL, about 22 or 23 Feet long, and between 4 and 5 Feet wide, has two Ring-bolts, the one in the Head, and the other in the Stern, rows with three Oars, and is made for one Sail forward. Whoever owns the ſaid Boat, may apply to

JAMES CONROY.

WANTED IMMEDIATELY,

AN OVERSEER, that can bring ſufficient Recommendations of his Induſtry, and Sobriety; ſuch and no other, may apply in Charles-Town, to

THOMAS AKIN.

A fine LOT *for Sale by private Contract, viz.*

THAT valuable LOT of LAND in Charles-Town, known or diſtinguiſhed in the plan or model thereof, by the No. 191, ſituated at the weſt end, and on the north ſide of Tradd-ſtreet, between the houſes of Alexander Fraſer, Eſq; and the late Captain Thomas Elliott, deceaſed, containing in front on ſaid ſtreet, fifty-eight feet, eight inches, or thereabouts, with the advantage of a paſſage; and in depth one hundred and forty-three feet, or thereabouts; whereon is a BRICK HOUSE deſigned for kitchens or two tenements that were intended to be built, and will ſtill ſerve thoſe purpoſes. This Lot has a fine ſouth proſpect of Aſhley-River, and as the proprietor of the oppoſite lot may perhaps make his front on Friend-ſtreet to be uniform with the other houſes built at the ſouth end and weſt ſide of that ſtreet, with the garden running eaſt and weſt, there will be no obſtruction to the ſoutherly air from Aſhley-River, which muſt be very agreeable in the hot months, and may prevent the communication of any malignant diſtemper that may rage in the interior parts of the town, or contagion ariſing from noxious effluvia. Its vicinity alſo to ſeveral good landing places on Aſhley-River, particularly the Sugar-Houſe-Creek, where a public market will no doubt be ſoon eſtabliſhed, will greatly enhance the value of all lands in that part of the town; alſo being ſituated in an excellent neighbourhood of reputable inhabitants, enders it not only more eligible, but ſecure againſt the danger of fire; and being a vacant lot, the purchaſer will have the ſatisfaction of erecting buildings thereon according to his own taſte for pleaſure or profit; the area or ground plot admitting either of one large manſion houſe of twelve rooms, or to be divided into two tenements of ſix rooms each, with land ſufficient behind for a kitchen garden to each. And, as houſes in that airy and pleaſant part of the town are ſeldom or ever empty, it will afford a certain good income quarterly.

The purchaſer may have one, two, three, or four years credit, giving bond, with approved perſonal ſecurity, and paying the intereſt punctually every year, and if he chuſes it, one third or one fourth part of the principal will be received annually, by which inſtalments, the purchaſe money will be eaſily and inſenſibly ſunk. RICHARD-PARK STOBO.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

WHEREAS at a Court of General Seſſions of the Peace, Oyer and Terminer, Aſſize and General Goal Delivery, begun and holden at Charles-Town, on Monday the 20th Day of April Inſtant, PETER MAZYCK, WILLIAM THOMPSON, SEDGWICKE LEWIS, GEORGE SOMERS, ALGERNOON WILSON, GEORGE JACKSON, and JAMES STOBO, being duly ſummoned and returned to ſerve as Grand Jurors; and JOHN HEARN, JOHN IZARD, JAMES COACHMAN, JOHN BERWICK, JAMES RICHARDS, TIMOTHY PHILIPS, ROBERT DORRILL, ſen. JOHN HESKETT, FRANCIS ROCHE, STEPHEN BULL, jun. WILLIAM SMITH, ſen. JAMES STANYARNE, and JOHN LLOYD, as Petit Jurors, made Default, and were noted for Non-appearance: THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE, That the former will be fined in the Sum of TEN POUNDS, Proclamation Money each; and the latter in the Sum of FIVE POUNDS like Money each; unleſs they ſhall reſpectively make good and ſufficient Excuſes, upon Oath, for their Non-attendance, on or before the Monday immediately preceding the ſecond Tueſday in May next.

JAMES JOHNSTON, C. C. & P.

Crown-Office, April 21, 1772.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

April 22, 1772. A negro fellow, of the *Guinea* country, ſays his name is SAMBO, and belongs to Mr. *Brown*, at the *Congarees*; he is about 5 feet 6 inches high, has on a white negro cloth jacket and breeches. Taken up at the new *Saw Mills*.

April 23, 1772. A negro fellow, ſays his name is CYRUS, did belong to Mr. *Jacob Stevens*, but his maſter is dead; he is about 5 feet 10 inches high, this country born, has on a negro cloth jacket and trowſers, and woollen boots. Taken up at *Izard's Camp*.

April 30, 1772. A negro fellow, of the *Kiſhee* country, ſays his name is JUPITER, about 20 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, has his upper teeth filed, well limbed, has on a white negro cloth jacket and trowſers, with a ſmall robin under his jacket. Taken up in *St. Thomas's* pariſh.

April 30, 1772. A new negro fellow, of the *Angola* country, ſays his name is JACK, about 5 feet 3 inches high, branded on the left breaſt with a 3, with a ſpeck on his left eye, has on a white negro cloth jacket and trowſers, with a brown jacket over it.

MICHAEL KALTEISEN, Warden.

TO BE SOLD by private Contract,

ABOUT Twenty or Twenty-five good milch COWS; and likewiſe Two in Town.—And have to let, Two TENEMENTS near St. Philip's Church.—For further Particulars, enquire of

PAUL SMISER.

WANTED, a Woman who has a good Breaſt of Milk, and no Child, for a Wet Nurſe, to whom good Wages will be given. Enquire of the Printer.

LEASES and RELEASES, Blank Bonds, Bonds with Warrants to confeſs Judgment, Mortgages, Copies of Writs, Bills of Sale, Powers of Attorney, Servants and Apprentices Indentures, Bills of Lading, Indico Certificates of both Kinds, Shipping Papers, Warrants and Executions for ſmall Debts, Recognizance for the Peace, Writs of Fieri Facias, in Actions of Debt, and on the Caſe, Capias in Debt, ditto in Caſe, Militia Summons, and ſundry other Blanks; alſo an Abſtract of an Act for regulating the Rates of Wharfage of Ships and Merchandize, and aſcertaining the Rates of Storage in *Charles-Town*, to be ſold by the Printer hereof.

A Freſh Supply of EDWARD JOYCE's famous AMERICAN BALSAM, which has proved ſerviceable in moſt of the Diſorders mentioned in the Directions, is juſt received, and to be ſold by

CHARLES CROUCH.

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SOUTH-CAROLINA.

PUBLIC TREASURY, *April* 27, 1772.

THE Juſtices living and reſiding within the Pariſhes of St. Philip and St. Michael, Charles-Town, having, on EASTER-MONDAY, granted their CERTIFICATES to the under mentioned Perſons; they are hereby required to call at this Office, and take out their LICENCES, on or before the 15th of next Month, at fartheſt.

HENRY PERONNEAU,
BENJAMIN DART, } *Joint Public Treaſurers.*

Names.	*Place of Reſidence.*
AMOS, JAMES	Upon the Bay
Allen, Margaret	White Point
Adamſon, Dorothy	King-ſtreet
Bohnet, Godfried	Meeting-ſtreet
Burckmyer, John Daniel	King-ſtreet
Benfield, John	Elliott-ſtreet
Boudrot, Mary	Guignard-ſtreet
Blankenhorn, Henry	King-ſtreet
Butler, Sarah	Upon the Bay
Brennan, Eugene	Elliott-ſtreet
Blacklidge, Zachariah	Trott's-Point
Bull, Fenwicke	Upon the Bay
Byers, Robert	King-ſtreet
Bryan, John	King-ſtreet
Biſhop, John	Upon the Bay
Beard, Joſhua	Meeting-ſtreet
Brigs, Elizabeth	Meeting-ſtreet
Bagſhaw, Thomas	Upon the Bay
Ball, Ann	Tradd-ſtreet
Callwell, Elizabeth	Dutch Town
Chauvet, Suſannah	Meeting-ſtreet
Creighton, William	King-ſtreet
Cooke, Eleanor	On the Bay
Chappel, John	Queen-Street
Caldwell, Rebecca	Bedon's Alley
Croſs, Samuel	King-ſtreet
Davis, William	Up the Path
Dickenſon, Avis	Tradd-ſtreet
Davie, Ann	Chalmers's Alley
Euſtace, Thomas	King-ſtreet
Emerſon, Joſhua	King-ſtreet
Egan, Dennis	Up the Path
Edwards, Martha	On the Bay
Fiſher, Ann	Dutch Town
Fittig, Barbara	King-ſtreet
Fardoe, Bridget	Union-ſtreet
Francis, Vincent	On the Bay
Farquhar, Robert	Tradd-ſtreet
Florin, Lucas	King-ſtreet
Fitzpatrick, William	Union-ſtreet
Fallows, James	On the Bay
Gruber, Chriſtian	King-ſtreet
Golſhan, John	King-ſtreet
Graham, Elizabeth	Union-ſtreet
Gros, Catharine	King-ſtreet
Gilchriſt, Elizabeth	Union-ſtreet
Harvey, Thomas	Market-Square
Harris, Thomas	Tradd-ſtreet
Hulme, William	On the Bay
Hatfield, Sarah	King-ſtreet
Hart, Joſhua	On the Bay
Horn, Peter	King-ſtreet
Holliday, William	Broad-ſtreet
Heady, Suſannah	Trott's Point
Hawes, Ann	Up the Path
Kyſell, Eſther	King-ſtreet
Keller, Elizabeth	Queen-ſtreet
Khun, George	King-ſtreet
Lewis, Ann	Union-ſtreet
Lehre, Mary	Up the Path
Levy, Joſeph	New-Market
Lochon, Mary	Guignard's-ſtreet
Mackenzie, Jane	Union-ſtreet
Mackenzie, Rebecca	Union-ſtreet
Myers, Albert	Meeting-ſtreet
Milbourn, Eſter	Queen-ſtreet
Motte, Hannah	King-ſtreet
Murrell, Mary	Tradd-ſtreet
Nuffer, Herman	King-ſtreet
Powell, Joſeph	Union-ſtreet
Patterſon, Robert	Union-ſtreet
Prevatt, Grace	Jenkins's Alley
Poinſett, Catharine	Elliott-ſtreet
Rutledge, Rebecca	Mulatto Alley
Rantowle, Sarah	Queen-ſtreet
Rolliſon, Daniel	Trott's Point
Rutherford, Iſabella	King-ſtreet
Ramſay, George	Bedon's Alley
Robertſon, Sarah	King-ſtreet
Roſwell, Mary	King-ſtreet
Saltridge, Lydia	White Point
Swallow, Newman	On the Bay
Stirt, Elizabeth	Elliott-ſtreet
Sayler, Catharine	Gadſden's Alley
Smith, Iſabella	Unity Alley
Stevens, Mary	On the Bay
Smith, Chriſtian	Unity Alley
Shutterling, John	Union-ſtreet
Strother, Charles	On the Bay
Strother, Richard	Market Square
Sigwald, Chriſtian	King-ſtreet
Sheets, Chriſtopher	Meeting-ſtreet
Stewart, Margaret	Union-ſtreet
Sanks, Mary	Union-ſtreet
Swinton, Hugh	On the Bay
Taylor, Elizabeth	Union-ſtreet
Tuke, Hannah	On the Bay
Thomſon, Elizabeth	Church-ſtreet
Wallace, Catherine	Union-ſtreet
Watſon, Catherine	Hampſtead
White, Richard	King-ſtreet
Wall, Mary	Elliott-ſtreet
Young, Mary	Price's Alley

To be ſold by public Vendue, at Mr. Cormichael's in Orangeburgh Townſhip, on Tueſday the 26th of May, 1772,

THE perſonal Eſtate of Thomas Lannon, deceaſed, conſiſting of ſundry Articles.

All Perſons who had any Demands againſt the ſaid Thomas Lannon, at the time of his deceaſe, are deſired to render in Accounts of their ſeveral Demands duly atteſted, and all who are indebted to his Eſtate, are deſired to make Payment forthwith, to

WILLIAM THOMSON, Adminiſtrator.

RUN-AWAY from the Subſcriber's Plantation, about the 16th inſt. two ſenſible NEGRO FELLOWS, named RAMSGATE and GEORGE; they were lately the Property of the Eſtate of Mrs. HEMILI. Ramſgate is an elderly Fellow, about 50 Years old, and had on when he went away, a green Waiſtcoat, white Negro Cloth great Coat, and blue Trowſers: George is a ſon of the old Fellow's, he is ſtout and well made, about 30 Years old, and about 5 Feet 10 Inches high; he had on when he went away, a green Robbin, blue Waiſtcoat, and blue Trowſers. George has a Wife in Charles-Town, who belongs to Mrs. Dellahow, who I ſuppoſe harbours them in the ſaid Town. I do hereby offer a Reward of *Five Pounds* Currency, and all reaſonable Charges for each of them, to any Perſon that will deliver them to the Warden of the Work-houſe, in Charles-Town, or to the Subſcriber in Dorcheſter; and alſo a further Reward of *Ten Pounds* to any Perſon that will give Information, by whom they are harboured, if by a Negro, *Ten Pounds*, or if by a white Perſon, *Fifty Pounds*, to be paid on Conviction of the Offender. RICHARD WALTER.

ALL Perſons indebted to the Eſtate of THOMAS SMITH, late of Beaufort, deceaſed, are deſired to make Payment before the firſt Day of June next; and thoſe to whom the ſaid Eſtate is indebted, are deſired to ſend in their Demands by that Time, to

SAMUEL GROVE, Adminiſtrator.

On Thurſday the 14th Day of May next, at Twelve o'Clock, will be ſold, at the Vendue-Houſe, in Charles Town,

TWO NEGROES, belonging to the late Mrs. MARY RUSS, viz. A Negro LAD, who has been four Years to the Carpenters Trade, and a Negro WOMAN, an extraordinary good Waſher and Ironer, and a plain Cook. Three Months Credit will be given, paying Intereſt, and giving Security, to either

WILLIAM or FRANCIS SHEPPARD.

MORO,

COVERS this Seaſon, at *Thomas Ferguſon*, Eſquire's Plantation, at Spoon-Savannah, upon the ſame Terms he did laſt Seaſon; and any Gentleman who ſent Mares laſt Year, that did not prove with Foal, may ſend ſuch Mares this Year *Gratis*. 6w.

N. B. Good Care will be taken of the Mares.

BROUGHT to my ſtables, the firſt of February laſt, by a Negro Boy, a black HORSE, between 13 and 14 hands high, branded on the mounting ſhoulder IH, a ſtar in his forehead, a hanging mane, and a ſwitch tail. Whoever owns the ſaid horſe, is deſired to call and fetch him away, otherwiſe he will be ſold to defray the charges. JOHN JACKSON, jun.

N. B. The boy ſaid that he belonged to Mr. Iſaac Hayne, of Ponpon.

TO BE SOLD, (together or ſeparate) the Owner having no Occaſion for them,

A Family of Country born NEGROES, conſiſting of a Negro Wench, who is a good plain Cook, Waſher and Ironer, and her three Children, one a Boy of ſixteen Years old, handy about Houſe, another about eleven Years old, and a likely Negro Girl, about eight Years old.—Enquire of the Printer.

RUN-AWAY on the ſecond Inſtant, from the Subſcriber, a Mulatto Man, named ROBERT LINDSEY, commonly called BOB, a Houſe Carpenter by Trade, well known in Charles-Town, and paſſes for a free Fellow. Whoever delivers him to me, or the Warden of the Work-Houſe, ſhall receive TWENTY POUNDS Currency; and whoever will inform of his being harboured by a white Perſon, free Mulattoes or free Negroes, on Conviction of the Offender, ſhall receive a Reward of FIFTY POUNDS, from

April 6, 1772. JOHN ERNEST POYAS.

N. B. All Maſters of Veſſels are cautioned againſt carrying him off the Province, as they will anſwer the ſame at their Peril.

To be diſpoſed of by private Sale,

THREE NEGRO MEN, two of whom are porters, who have been uſed to be hired out by the year, the other is a fiſherman; they belong to a perſon about to leave the province. Credit for one year, or more, may be had, on giving ſecurity. Apply to the printer.

TO BE LET, and may be entered on the First Day of July next,

A NEAT COMMODIOUS HOUSE, ſituated in *Tradd-Street*, now in the Poſſeſſion of the Honourable JOHN STUART, Eſquire. Enquire of JOHN-PAUL GRIMKE.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

THE Subſcriber gives this Public Notice, agreeable to the Act of the General Aſſembly, commonly called, *The Attachment Act*, that he intends ſhortly to depart the Province for Old England; and that he is in the mean Time ready to anſwer, appear, or give Bail, as the Caſe may require, to any Suit, Summons or Proceſs, that can, or may be iſſued or brought againſt him, for, or on Account of any Cauſe, Matter, or Thing whatſoever.

All thoſe anyways indebted to him, will much oblige him by ſettling immediately; and any to whom he may be indebted, are deſired to call for Payment.

JAMES H. BUTLER.

To be SOLD or LET,

THE Houſe wherein the Subſcriber lives, in King-ſtreet, being open on all Sides, three Stories high, having eight Rooms, 13 Cloſets, a good dry Cellar under, &c. a Cockloft over the whole Houſe, with a good paved Yard, a Kitchen, Waſh-houſe, Chair-houſe, Stables, Wood and Coal-houſe, Poultry-houſe, and Garden, all in good Order.

To be LET, and entered on immediately,

The Houſe in Old Church or Meeting-ſtreet, wherein Mrs. Simpſon lately lived, being open on all Sides, very pleaſantly ſituated, and having every Conveniency for a Family. WILLIAM HOPTON.

A CONSIGNMENT of Three-quarters, Seven-eighths, and Yard-wide Iriſh Linen, conſiſting Linen at 6*l.* 3*l.* per Yard, with a Variety of Huckabacks, Diapery, and Damaſke, to be ſold exceeding cheap, by

JAMES WAKEFIELD.

Three-quarters LUTESTRINGS, at 50*s.* per Yard.

FOR SALE,

THE LAND whereon the Subſcriber formerly lived, ſituate in *St. Thomas*'s Pariſh, about a Mile Weſt of the Church, it contains 500 Acres, and bounds to the Weſtward on Lands of Mr. *William Parker*; South on *Richard Beresford*; Eaſt on *John Moore*, and North on Cooke's Creek, which communicates with *Cooper* River, is navigable for large Boats, who have often loaded at ſeveral Landing Places on this Tract; whereon is a good Dwelling-Houſe, two Story high, containing four Rooms, beſides a large Shed the whole length of the Houſe, on the North Side, which has two Rooms and a Chimney therein; alſo a ſuitable Kitchen, Negro Houſes, &c. The Southern Boundary is not above a Mile and a Half diſtant from either of the Landing Places; and near about it are many Pine Trees fit for ſawing, with a large Number ſuitable for Spars, &c. which lay ſcattering throughout the Tract, together with a Quantity of Fire Wood. The Purchaſer may have Twelve Months Time for Payment, allowing Intereſt, and giving ſuch Security as may be required by my Brother, JOSIAH SMITH, jun. in Charles-Town, to whom, ſuch as incline to buy, muſt apply for further Particulars.

N. B. The Diſtance from Charles-Town by Water, about Twenty Miles. GEORGE SMITH, jun.

TO BE SOLD,

A Likely, healthy, Negro Wench, who is a good Waſher, and uſed to attend in a Houſe; with her Female Child, near three Years old. Apply to the Printer.

TWO ENGLISH HORSES,

BABRAHAM, got by BABRAHAM, and LOFTY, got by SNAP, will cover this Seaſon at Mr. A. Middleton's Plantation upon Aſhley River, each at Twenty-five Pounds a Mare, and a Dollar to the Groom. The Mares will be well taken Care of, and thoſe which do not prove with Foal this Seaſon, may be ſent the next *Gratis*.

ISAAC WAGGET, Groom.

N. B. The HORSES are as likely and as high blooded as any in the Province, and neither of them will cover the next Seaſon under Five Pounds Sterling. 6 w.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the ſubſcriber, in Anſonſborough, a brown bay HORSE, about 14 hands high, with white hairs down his face, branded on the mounting ſhoulder and buttock TA in one. Whoever will deliver the ſaid horſe to me, ſhall receive TWO DOLLARS reward, from ROBERT DANIELL.

SHADOW,

WILL Cover this Seaſon, any Time after the firſt Day of April next, at BENJAMIN SINGLETON, Eſq'rs. Plantation, in St. James, Gooſe-Creek, at FIVE POUNDS Sterling each MARE, and a DOLLAR to the GROOM. The Money muſt be ſent with them. Very good Paſturage, and great Care will be taken of the Mares.

STRAYED or ſtolen from the ſubſcriber, a roan HORSE, near 14 hands high, a trotter, a little creſt-fallen on the withers, occaſioned by a fiſtula, a ſquare dock, and ranch mane, which was trimmed ſome time ago, has ſome white ſpots on his back, branded on the near ſhoulder 21, and on the near buttock like the ſhape of a bricklayer's trowel. Any perſon that will take up ſaid horſe, and deliver him to me, at Mr. George Norman's plantation, in Gooſe-Creek, ſhall receive TWO DOLLARS reward, beſides thanks, from

CHRISTIAN FINDLEY.

A Black Horſe, about 13 hands high, branded on the off ſhoulder with a heart and FR. The owner muſt prove his property at Dorcheſter, before

JOHN JOOR.

Brought to the WORK-HOUSE.

June 25, 1771. A new negro fellow, named JACOB, of the *Guinea* country; he is 5 feet 10 inches high, ſtreight, and well limbed, has both his ears bored, and has a ſcar over his right eye, ſpeaks bad Engliſh, and ſays his maſter's name is *Peter*. Taken up at *Combahee*.

October 25, 1771. A negro fellow, of the *Angola* country, calls himſelf CÆSAR, ſays his maſter's name is *John Bord*; he is five feet two inches high, thin viſage, ſeven dots between his eye-brows, each ſide his face, and breaſt, all his country marks; has on an old crocus wrapper and trowſers. Taken in *Santee Swamp*, near *Mr. Thomas Green*'s plantation, *Congaree*.

December 13, 1771. A new negro fellow, of the *Guinea* country, calls himſelf SAMPSON, ſays his maſter's name was *Elliott*, who he ſays is dead; he is 5 feet 7 inches high, full faced, red eyes, his country marks down each ſide his face, his ears bored, long beard, a large ſcar on the ſmall of his right leg, and has nothing but an old blanket on. Taken up at *Mr. Auſtin*'s plantation, *Ahepoo*.

April 17, 1772. A new negro fellow, of the *Angola* country, cannot tell his own or his maſter's names; he is about 5 feet 5 inches high, has his country marks on his belly, very well limbed; has on a white negro cloth jacket and breeches. Taken up at *Cooper River, Bonneau's Ferry*.

April 21, 1772. A negro girl, of the *Eboe* country, ſays her name is JULE, but cannot tell her maſter's name; ſhe is 4 feet 8 inches high, her teeth of the under jaw is very much filed; has on an oznabrigs petticoat, ſhort ſtriped apron, likewiſe a check apron over the oznabrigs, and a blue negro cloth jacket. Taken up in *Charles-Town*.

MICHAEL KALTEISEN, Warden.

Charles Town, October 24, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given, That Messrs. TOBRANE and POAUG, of Charles-Town, Merchants, have assigned all their Debts and Effects to the Subscribers, in Trust, for paying out of the Money to arise therefrom, such of the Creditors of the said TOBRANE & POAUG, as shall, within Twelve Months from this Day, consent and agree to receive a Dividend of their Debts, in Average and Proportion, as far as the said Money will extend, and thereupon to execute general Releases, of their Demands against the said TOBRANE & POAUG: Their other Creditors are excluded from any Share of the said Money.—— THEREFORE, those who are willing to accept Dividends upon the Terms above mentioned, are desired to signify such consent, and transmit their Accounts, duly attested, within the Time above limited.

The Books of Accounts, &c. are in the Possession of Mr. *William Graham*, (at a Store on Col. Beale's Wharf) who is appointed and impowered by the Assignees, to receive and collect the Monies due to the said TOBRANE & POAUG, of which all Persons concerned, are desired to take Notice.

The Bill Creditors of the said TOBRANE & POAUG, are desired to deliver into the Assignees, such Bills of Exchange as have been returned protested, in order that proper Steps may be pursued for their Recovery.

JACOB MOTTE,
WILLIAM LOGAN,
JOHN HUGER,
ALEXANDER MICHIE,
BENJAMIN HUGER,
ALEXANDER ROSE,
} Assignees.

CARNE & POINSETT,

Have just imported in the Ships London *and* Carolina-Packet,

A Fresh ASSORTMENT of

DRUGS and MEDICINES, Chymical and Galenical, Keyser's Pills, and a compleat Assortment of Family MEDICINES, warranted genuine; neat Mahogany Medicine Cases, with folding Doors, furnished with ground stopper Glasses, Glass Mortar and Pestle, &c. compleat; also, a few Mahogany Liquor Cases, containing one Dozen Half Gallon square white Flint Bottles, with ground Stoppers, and having neat Brass Handles; Anchovies, white and green Mangoes, Capers, French and Spanish Olives, Gerkins, Soy, Ketchup, Sweet Oil in Quart Bottles and Flasks, Currant Jelly, and Raspberry Jam in Pound Pots, fine Turkey Figs, best Jarr Raisins, Currants, Pruens, white and brown Candy, Barley Sugar, and Comfits; which they will sell reasonable at their Shop in Elliott-street; where may be had, Boxes of MEDICINES fitted up in the best Manner.

HENRY RUGELEY, & Co.

At their Store the corner of Church and Tradd-streets, have imported in the last vessels from England,

A large assorted cargo of GOODS, which they will sell on very low terms, and take produce in payment; those who take a large quantity to sell again, shall have them cheaper than the generality of goods are imported,

AMONGST THEM ARE,

VARIETY of printed linens, cottons and calicoes, genteel two purple light linens, for summer wear, figured lawn aprons, from 27s. 6d. to 50s. needle worked ditto, striped muslin ditto, worked muslins for gowns, cambricks and lawns of all sorts, damask and diaper table cloths, ditto with sets of napkins, plain, huckaback, and diaper Russia linen, corded and flowered dimities, fine white jeans, coloured ditto, white and coloured fustians, linen and cotton checks, from 4s. per yard, check handkerchiefs at 40s. per dozen, 9-8 Scotch sheeting at 7s. per yard, white rolls for ditto, at 5s. a yard, osnabrugs, from 2s. 6d. per yard, plain and flowered pavilion gauzes, very fine India nankeens, genteel stripes for gentlemens waistcoats, superfine (and other) broad cloths, of the most fashionable colours, with proper trimmings, black figured mode and satin cardinals, calamanco petticoats, nails, spades, hoes, and other plantation tools, decanters, drinking glasses, tumblers with covers, a set of blue and white tea china at 13l. grindstones of various sizes, anchors and grapnals from 60 lb. to three hundred weight, best bohea tea at 2s. lb.

Two very light genteel POST CHARIOTS, with boxes to take off occasionally, which will be sold for costs and freight, to receive payment in the produce of next year's crop; four London made riding CHAIRS, fine old hock and Port wine in bottles, a few cases of Florence wine.

They likewise, under the firm of

HENRY RUGELEY, & Co.

Have opened a store in King-street, (next door to the sign of the *Crown*, lately kept by Mr. Kalteisen,) where they propose to take in all kinds of country produce, viz. hemp, indico, deer-skins, tobacco, bees-wax, tallow, pink root, &c. for which the best prices will always be given; the like assortment of goods will be kept up here as at their other store, and sold upon the same low terms, of which the general satisfaction they have given to those who have favoured them with their custom, is a sufficient recommendation. Any person who may send down their orders or produce, shall be allowed the same prices, have goods at the same advance, and their orders punctually observed.

New-England, Philadelphia, West-India and Jamaica RUM; Lewis's superfine FLOUR, bar iron, and muscovado SUGAR, of different qualities.—Hams, bacon, and smoaked BEEF, for sale.

SOUTH-CAROLINA.

EVAN JONES intending to depart this Province early in May next, in order to entitle himself to the Benefit of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, commonly called the *Attachment-Act*: GIVES NOTICE that he is ready to appear, answer, or file Bail to any Suit, Summons, or Process, that may be issued or brought against him, in Terms of said Act. 6 w.

To be SOLD, by private Contract,

A LARGE Lot of LAND (either in Whole or in small Lots) containing 150 Feet on King-Street, 400 Feet on Wentworth-Street, and 150 Feet on St. Philip's Street, besides sundry other Lots.—The Purchaser may have one or two Years Credit, paying Interest, and giving Security.

N. B. To be LET, a large DOUBLE HOUSE. Enquire of PATRICK HINDS.

SARAH MINORS,

MILLINER, in Church-Street,
Opposite Mr. PIKE's ASSEMBLY ROOM,
Has to dispose of, a genteel ASSORTMENT of

MILLINARY GOODS,

BLOND LACES of all Sorts, ditto Satins and Persians, ditto Gauzes, Fans, Ribbons and Gloves.

A general ASSORTMENT of TOYS;

All which will be sold CHEAP for CASH.

TIMOTHY GREENWOOD, AND JOHN WALKER,

(At their Store on the Bay, lately occupied by Mr. Thomas Walter)
Have just imported in the Ship London, Captain Alexander Curling, from London, and in the Ship Charming Sally, Captain George Fortune, from Bristol,

A NEAT assortment of European and East-India GOODS, which they will sell very low at the usual credit, but particularly low for cash, amongst which are, 3-4, 7-8, and yard wide Irish linen, of all prices, 9-8, and yard wide Irish sheeting, 7-8, and yard wide linen and cotton checks, furniture ditto, corded and flowered dimity, cotton hollands, bed bunts, bed tick, 9-4, and 10-4 Flanders tick, counterpains, 3-4, and 7-8 gaslix and dowlas, brown hollands, pitol and clear lawns, cambricks, linen and cotton handkerchiefs, printed linens, cottons, calicoes, and a few bordered chintz, very fine white Russia drabb, dyed ditto, book muslins, India nankeens, black China taffetas, crow coloured mantuas, black princes stuff, calamancoes, durants; a variety of plain and figured ribbons, ferrets, tapes, gartering, quality binding; womens purple gloves and mitts, fine white kid and lamb ditto, mens beaver, doe-skin, drawn, wash, and Woodstock gloves, with stiched tops, mens brown and white thread stockings, womens thread and cotton ditto, boys ditto, breeches patterns, and breeches webb to cut, calamanco shoes and pumps; black Barcelona cravats and handkerchiefs, scarlet cardinals, buckram, pavilion gauze, threads; mens beaver and felt hats; glass and queen's ware; ironmongery, cutlery, pins, Oronoko tobacco, fig and powder blue, Poland and common starch, exceeding good bohea tea, London loaf sugar, oil and pickles, best Durham mustard; nails, bar lead, and shot, iron pots, &c. &c.

For SALE by private contract, together or in parcels,

THE valuable and well known Island of St. Catharine, in the province of Georgia, lying in the entrance to the port of Sunsbury, with the large stock of cattle, horses and hogs thereon.

The said island is remarkably healthy, well watered, and contains large bodies of the best land for corn, rice and indico. It is about nineteen miles in length, and in breadth from a mile and a half to four miles, but including the marsh, its breadth is in many places seven miles.

For further particulars, apply to Alexander Rose, Esq; in Charles-Town, Mr. Robert Parteous, in Beaufort, or in Georgia, to BUTTON GWINNETT.

The SUBSCRIBER,

HAVING taken the House in King-street, lately occupied by Mr. MICHAEL KALTEISEN, and known by the Sign of the *Crown*, which is admirably calculated to accommodate Country Gentlemen, and provided with Stabling for near *Fifty Horses*, for whom the best of *Provender* will always be got; hath this Day opened the same as

AN INN,

And will be obliged to Country Gentlemen and others for their Company, who may always be assured of the best Lodgings, Provisions, Liquors, diligent Attendance, kind Treatment, and a hearty Welcome, from

Their most obedient humble Servant,
JOHN HATFIELD.

March 24, 1772.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber's plantation, in St. Thomas's parish, in February last, two negro MEN, named BRISTOL and TAFFY: *Bristol* is a short black fellow, about 5 feet 7 inches high, round face, small eyes, thick eye-brows, bow leged, and very artful; he took with him two pair of leather breeches, and a coat and breeches of white plains, with blue buttons: *Taffy* is about the same height, of a yellowish complexion, and large legs; he carried with him a blue waistcoat, and a suit of white plains. They were formerly the property of Mr. Thomas Nightingale, and lived at his cowpen on Yarrow's branch, the head of Edisto river, where it is supposed they will return. Whoever will deliver either, or both of the said negroes, to the warden of the work-house, or to the subscriber, shall receive TWO GUINEAS reward for each, and all reasonable charges; and if the said negroes are harboured by a white person, on conviction of the offender, a farther reward of FIFTY POUNDS will be paid, and if by a negro TWENTY POUNDS, as I am determined to prosecute any such, with the utmost rigour of the law.

EBENEZER ROCHE.

For SALE by private Contract,

A VALUABLE TRACT of LAND, containing five hundred acres, situate in Santee swamp, St. Mark's parish; bounding eastward by a large fishing lake, and lands of Mr. Williams, and the estate of Matthew Neilson. This tract is exceeding good for indico, corn or rice.

ALSO,

A plantation or tract of LAND, containing one thousand three hundred and twenty acres, situate in Black-Mingo swamp, in Prince Frederick's parish, joining lands of Messrs. Futhy's, and esteemed very good either for indico, corn or rice, and will admit of dividing into two plantations, if the purchaser chuses.—Any persons inclinable to purchase, may apply to Mr. JOHN DAWSON, in Charles-Town, or at Santee, to JARED NEILSON.

FOR SALE,

FOUR LOTS of LAND at *White Point*, on the west side of *Old Church*, or *Meeting-Street*, of which, one fronts on *Ashley* river, containing about 56 feet in breadth, and in depth on the west line, 102, and on the east, 119 feet.—The other three lots front on the above street, being 40 feet each in breadth, and 140 deep; the southerly breezes in the summer season, will render the situation of those lots extremely pleasant and healthful, and being near to the water, will be very convenient for country gentlemen in particular.—Those that incline to become purchasers, may have a year's space for payment, allowing interest, and giving security, if required.

JOSIAH SMITH, jun.

THE Subscriber's ill State of Health, not permitting him to carry on his Business with that Attention which is necessary; will sell upon reasonable Terms, his large and well-assorted Stock of GOODS, to any one taking the whole; three fourths of which were imported within this Eight Months.

ANDREW RUTLEDGE.

THIS is to give NOTICE, that the Co-partnership of *Richard Dickinson*, and *William Turpin*, is dissolved, and that the above William Turpin continues to carry on the Business of Chocolate-making as usually, at his own House on Trott's Point, where both Town and Country may be supplied with large or small Quantities; and likewise Masters of Vessels can have it prepared in the best Manner, for Sea Use; they may be supplied at Joseph Turpin, junior's Store, near the Exchange, and shall be much obliged to them for their Custom.

TO BE SOLD,

A PLANTATION at the *Horse Shoe*, formerly belonging to Mr. *Charles Jones*, deceased, containing 1363 acres, about 500 of which is exceeding good rice land, with back-water sufficient for the whole, near 300 of it under good fence, about 400 acres good corn and indico land, the remainder good pine land: For many years there has not been less than 10 barrels of rice made to a hand, and for several years past 13 barrels. Apply to Mr. *William Jones*, at *Georgia*, Mr. *William-Clay Snipes*, at the *Horse-Shoe*, or to the subscriber in *Charles-Town*.

JOHN CHAMPNEYS.

WANTED TO HIRE.

A SINGLE Man, of a good Character, that understands Plowing: Also, two Negro Men, by the Year, that are well acquainted with Plantation Business; good Wages will be given.——Apply to the Printer hereof.

EXCEEDING good MUSCOVADO SUGAR, to be sold by the Hogshead or Barrel, on EVELEIGH's WHARF—Also a few Hogsheads of Jamaica RUM.

TO BE SOLD by public Outcry, on Tuesday the 12th of May next, at the New Vendue-House in Charles Town,

TWO Thousand Acres of LAND, on the Great Ogeechee River, about eighty Miles from Savannah, 500 Acres of which are Swamp, and the Rest Oak and Hickory. Any Person inclinable to purchase at private Sale, may apply to WILLIAM SIMPSON.

TO BE LET,

(And entered upon the first of May next)

THE HOUSE and STORE in Bedon's Alley, at present occupied by Messieurs Robert and Nathaniel Stott. For Particulars, enquire of WILLIAM SAVAGE.

WILLIAM LOOCOCK,

Has imported in the last vessels from LONDON,

A Compleat and general assortment of chymical, galenical preparations and drugs, with almost every family medicine now in use, among which are, the famous essence of JOHNSOM or TURPETH ROOT, being a native of the remote parts of this province, and which is the most certain, easy and effectual medicine ever found in all venereal cases. Fifteen drops being taken morning and evening, in a glass of water or any thing convenient, will most effectually rout that disorder in a few days, and never leave any ill effects thereafter, which is too often the case: It is likewise a most effectual medicine in all rhumatic complaints, leprosy, scurvy, old sores or ulcers, nay even in all chronical disorders; it will cure the yaws effectually in a few days; and will be sold on the most reasonable terms at his MEDICINAL WARE-HOUSE, in Broad-street.

RUN-AWAY from the subscriber, living in St. Stephen's parish, the 24th of November last, a negro man named

DANIEL,

about 25 or 26 years of age, 5 feet 7 inches high, of a black complexion, this country born, speaks good ENGLISH, is very artful, and has the marks of a burn on the back part of his head. A reward of *Fifty Pounds* will be given to any person, who will apprehend and deliver the said negro man to me in said parish: Also, a reward of *Fifty Pounds* will be given, on conviction of the offender, to whoever will give information of his being harboured by a white person, and *Twenty Five Pounds* if by a negro.

6 w NICHOLAS RAY.

To be Sold by private Contract,

THE HOUSE in Meeting-street, at present occupied by Dr. Haig. *Also*,

FOUR TENEMENTS adjoining, and TWO TENEMENTS in the Alley behind the State-house.

The Purchasers may have one, two or three Years Credit, paying Interest, and giving approved Security, to DANIEL BLAKE.

A Person capable of managing three or four Plantations, intended to be settled upon Savannah-river, where Hemp and Indico will be planted, will meet with good Encouragement, by applying as above.

RUN-AWAY from the Subscriber, near two Years ago, a Negro Fellow named HARRY, well known both in Town and Country: Any Person that will give Information of his being harboured by any white Person, shall have *One Hundred Pounds* Reward, and *Twenty Pounds*, if by a Negro; also, a Reward of *Fifty Pounds* will be given to any Person that will apprehend said Fellow, and deliver him to Mr. *John Brailsford*, in *Charles-Town*, or to the Subscriber at *Indian Land*.

JOSEPH BRAILSFORD.

ALL those to whom Mr. CALEB EASTON, is anyways indebted, are desired to send in, as soon as possible, an Account of their Demands to the Subscriber; as likewise those indebted to him, to make immediate Payment.—Mr. Easton being in an ill State of Health, hath assigned over his Books of Accounts, Bonds, and Notes, for the Purpose, to have a speedy Settlement of his Affairs, by JACOB VALK.

THOMAS MORE's Book and Sheet ALMANACK, for the present Year, to be sold by the Printer hereof.